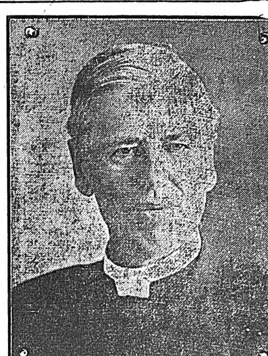
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REV. D. G. McQUEEN, D. D.
For 37 years Minister of the First Presbyterian Church, Edmonton.

25 years ago Dr. McQueen conducted the opening services of Knox Church, Red Deer. On Monday evening, October 1st, this veteran among the pioneers will give some interesting history. Here is an opportunity for an old-timers' re-union and for the new generation to get some first hand knowledge. All the men and women who have been 25 years in the country will get their supper first and have a special table. If in the country speed up your car and be at the Church Hall at 5.30 sharp.

RED DEER DISTRICT SCHOOL FAIR

The annual School Fair of the Red Deer District was held Saturday last at the exhibition grounds. After a week of very bad weather, it cleared up and they were favored with a splendid Fair. There were a great number of entries in many of the classes, and the Judges had a busy afternoon. The teachers of the various schools exhibiting and the scholars are to be commended for the splendid showing. The Judges remarked that they had never seen corn in the Province to equal that shown.

C. J. Bacon filled the role of secretary very well. He was assisted by the following committees, viz.: Stock—Messrs. E. W. Bjorkeland, W. Heaman, S. Blakely and R. E. Fiske. Vegetables, grains and grasses—Messrs. D. W. McKinnon, T. P. Parcels, E. H. Haven, F. H. Tallman and E. DeBow. Poultry—Messrs. C. Roland, C. J. Streatch and A. H. Cody. Sewing—Mesdames Holton, Bjorkeland, Richards, Bacon and Parks. Sports—Messrs. A. D. Bower, H. Wallace, J. Leithead and J. Cruickshank. Lunch—Mesdames McKinnon, Dixon and Holton.

The Judges were Misses Houghton and English, Messrs. Holton, Brunsden and Malyon of the Olds School of Agriculture, Inspector A. R. Gibson and Misses Ebert, Etta Smith, Gertrude Smith and Irving of the Red Deer Public School staff.

The annual school fairs are coming more and more into their own. The showing Saturday was the equal of any ever seen in this city in some of the classes. The prize winners were:

Garden Products

Carrots, 66 entries—Geo. Christian, Poplar Ridge; Herbert Cody, Willowdale; Ella McInroy, Edwell; Kenneth Ainge, Edwell; Gordon Parks, Waskasoo; Isaac Hamilton, Waskasoo; Dorothy Goodacre, Clearview; Margaret Streatch, Waskasoo.

Beets, 48 entries—Fred Parks, Waskasoo; Lloyd Graham, Edwell; Gordon Parks, Waskasoo; Norman Parks; Alberta Heaman, Hillsdown; Martha Fleming, Waskasoo; Negley Parks, Waskasoo; Kenneth Ainge, Edwell; Enid Keiser, Valley Centre.

Parsnips, 31 entries—John Keiser, Valley Centre; Geo. Christian, Poplar Ridge; Jimmie Keiser, Valley Centre; Nina Oldford, Horn Hill; Edmund Wickwire, Willowdale; May Comer, Edwell; Wm. Ellenwood, Waskasoo; Eva James, Balmoral; Hi Houghton, Clearview.

Turnips, 29 entries—Frank Whittemore, Hillsdown; G. Christian, Poplar Ridge; Nina Oldford, Horn Hill; Enid Clearview

Keiser, Valley Centre; Jimmie Keiser; Dorothy Goodacre, Clearview; Ruth Whittemore, Hillsdown; Lee Moschenross, Hillsdown; Ladora Losse, Crossroads.

Mangels, 41 entries—Henry Bjorkeland, Shottie Bjorkeland, Horn Hill; Dorothy Goodacre, Clearview; Geo. Christian, Poplar Ridge; Eva James, Balmoral; Herbert Cody, Willowdale; May Comer, Edwell; Fred Parks, Waskasoo; Lloyd Graham, Edwell.

Peas, 29 entries—Hattie Whittemore; Caroline James, Balmoral; Lee Moschenross, Hillsdown; Clarke Houghton, Clearview; Eva James, Balmoral; Frank Whittemore, Hillsdown; Blanche Vickers, Crossroads; Edna Christian, Poplar Ridge; Ruth Whittemore, Hillsdown.

Cabbage, 25 entries—Evelyn James, Balmoral; Henry Bjorkeland, Horn Hill; Baldwin Parsons, Clearview; Herbert Cody, Willowdale; Henry Bjorkeland, Horn Hill; Baldwin Parsons, Clearview; Herbert Cody, Willowdale; Dorothy Goodacre, Clearview; Alice McConnell, Balmoral; Lyle Domoney, Horn Hill; Hi Houghton, Clearview; Hattie Whittemore, Hillsdown.

Potatoes, 24 entries—Laurence McIntosh, Springvale; Robt. Heaman, Hillsdown; Geo. Christian, Poplar Ridge; Roy Kendrew, Willowdale; Gordon Kendrew; Norman Cheveau, Hillsdown; John Keiser; Adrian Tallman; Jimmie Keiser, Valley Centre.

Sheaf of Sunflowers, 12 entries—Margaret Streatch, Norman Parks, Lawrie Streatch, Ona Parks, Gordon Parks, Laura Streatch, Fred Parks, Alberta Streatch, Negley Parks, all of Waskasoo.

Sheaf of Corn, 11 entries—Alan Cody, Willowdale; Edith McKenzie, Hillsdown; Esther Staples, Poplar Ridge; John Keiser, Valley Centre; Alfred James, Balmoral; Negley Parks, Norman Parks, Ona Parks, Gordon Parks, Waskasoo.

Livestock and Poultry

Pen of Egg Type, 5 entries—Herbert Cody, Willowdale; Jean Blakely, Crossroads; Lee Moschenross, Hillsdown; Fred Parks, Norman Parks, Waskasoo.

Pen of Utility Class, 5 entries—Allan Cody, Willowdale; Weston Latam, Crossroads; Sylvia Kirk, William Ellenwood, Waskasoo; Blanche Vickers, Crossroads.

Cockerels, 10 entries—Allan Cody, Herbert Cody, Willowdale; Doris Latam, Jean Blakely, Crossroads; Norman Parks, Waskasoo; Robt. Heaman, Hillsdown; Wm. Ellenwood, Waskasoo; Winston Latam, Crossroads; Lloyd Graham, Edwell.

Pullets, 16 entries—Lloyd Graham, Edwell; Florence Cheveau, Basil Cheveau, Hillsdown; Doris Latam, Crossroads; Sylvia Kirk, Waskasoo; Blanche Vickers, Crossroads; Norman Cheveau, Hillsdown; Winston Latam, Crossroads; Alberta Heaman, Hillsdown.

Bacon Hogs, 5 entries—Owen Richards, Horn Hill; Margaret Streatch, Sylvia Kirk, Waskasoo; Francis Cosgrove, Gladys Cosgrove, Penhold.

Hogs, thick smooth, 5 entries—Lawrie Streatch, Fred Parks, Norman Parks, Gordon Parks, Ona Parks, Waskasoo.

Swine Judging Competition—Owen Richards, Clark Houghton, Sylvia Kirk, Margaret Streatch, Eric Goodacre, Dorothy Goodacre, Baldwin Parsons. The first three named will have the privilege of attending the Calgary Winter Stock Show.

Beef Steer or Heifer, 5 entries—Kenneth Blair, Joyce Blair, Clearview; Mervin Brett, Springvale; Norman Parks, Fred Parks, Waskasoo.

Dairy Heifer, 5 entries—Owen Richards, Henry Bjorkeland, Horn Hill; Sheldon Comfort, Clearview; Charlotte Bjorkeland, Horn Hill; Phyllis Wright, Clearview.

Colt, 3 entries—Esther Staples, Poplar Ridge; Willie Wright, Phyllis Wright, Clearview.

Lambs, 3 entries—Tom Corrigan, Bob Corrigan, Jack Corrigan, Valley Centre.

Grains

Sheaf of Rye, 3 entries—Norman Parks, Fred Parks, Waskasoo; Kenneth Ainge, Edwell.

Sheaf of Wheat, 10 entries—Geo. Christian, Poplar Ridge; Enid Keiser, Valley Centre; Felix Ashmore, Crossroads; Olive Comer, Lloyd Graham, Edwell; Fred Parks, Waskasoo; Blanche Vickers, Crossroads; Kenneth Ainge, Edwell; Stewart Melisse, Crossroads.

Sheaf of Barley, 7 entries—Geo. Christian, Poplar Ridge; Fred Parks, Waskasoo; Alfred James, Balmoral; Henry Bjorkeland, Horn Hill; Stewart Melisse, Crossroads; Lawrence McIntosh, Springvale; L. McConnell, Balmoral.

Sheaf of Oats, 16 entries—Ladora Losse, Crossroads; Gordon Parks, Waskasoo; Kenenth Ainge, Edwell; Basil Cheveau, Hillsdown; Jack Pye, Horn Hill; Lee Moschenross, Hillsdown; Blanche Vickers, Crossroads; Alfred James, Balmoral; Jimmie Keiser, Valley Centre.

Quart of Wheat, 9 entries—Robt. Heaman, Hillsdown; Enid Keiser, Valley Centre; Mary Ashmore, Crossroads; Kenneth Ainge, Edwell; Jack Pye, Horn Hill.

Quart of Barley, 3 entries—Jean Blakely, Crossroads; Lawrence McIntosh, Springvale; John Keiser, Valley Centre.

Quart of Rye, 3 entries—Norman Parks, Fred Parks, Waskasoo; Kenneth Ainge, Edwell.

Quart of Oats, 5 entries—Lawrence McIntosh, Springvale; Jack Pye, Horn Hill; Jean Blakely, Crossroads; Geo. Christian, Poplar Ridge; Fred Parks, Waskasoo.

Collection of 15 noxious weeds—School District No. 251, Horn Hill.

Collection flowering plants—Isaac Hamilton, Willowdale.

Collection of leaves, 5 entries—May Comer, Edwell; Fred Parks, Waskasoo; Isaac Hamilton, Marjorie Wickwire, Willowdale; Grades V. and VI., Hillsdown.

Collection weed seeds, 4 entries—Blanche Vickers, Crossroads; Fred Parks, Waskasoo; S. D. No. 251, Horn Hill; Grades VII. and VIII., Hillsdown.

Domestic Science—Cooking

Plain Cake—Olive Code, Springvale; Doris Latam, Crossroads; Jean French, Poplar Ridge; Phyllis Opie, Waskasoo; Olive Wright, Clearview.

Butter Scotch—Lucille Kirk, Phyllis Opie, Alan Opie, Alberta Streatch, Waskasoo; Ethel Strickland, Ridgewood.

Baked Custard—Laura Streatch, Gordon Parks, Waskasoo; Melvin Latam, Crossroads; Florence Cheveau, Hillsdown; Ladora Losse, Crossroads.

Biscuits—Gladys Pye, Horn Hill; Gordon Parks; Waskasoo; Melvin Latam, Crossroads; Laura Streatch, Waskasoo; Winnie Strickland, Ridgewood.

Ginger Bread—Edith Meluse, Crossroads; Fred Parks, Waskasoo; Gladys Pye, Horn Hill; Sylvia Kirk, Laura Streatch, Waskasoo.

Drop Cookies—Laura Streatch, Sylvia Kirk, Waskasoo; Winnie Strickland, Ridgewood; Ladora Losse, Crossroads; Fred Parks, Waskasoo.

White Bread—Margaret Streatch, Waskasoo; Pearl Pye, Horn Hill; Katie Reay, Willowdale; Edith McKenzie, Hillsdown; Esther Staples, Poplar Ridge; Mable Pye, Horn Hill; Alice Pengelly, Springvale; Jean Blakely, Crossroads; Ethel Pye, Horn Hill.

Plain Cookies—Blanche Vickers, Crossroads; Esther Staples, Poplar Ridge; Jean Blakely, Crossroads; Nina Oldford, Horn Hill; Dorothy Strickland, Ridgewood.

Ginger Snaps—Esther Staples, Poplar Ridge; Dorothy Strickland, Ridgewood; Nina Oldford, Horn Hill; Blanche Vickers, Crossroads; Mabel Pye, Horn Hill.

Apple Pie—Esther Staples, Poplar Ridge; Alberta Heaman, Hillsdown; Jean Blakely, Crossroads; Margaret Streatch, Waskasoo; Dorothy Strickland, Ridgewood.

Canning Fruits—Blanche Vickers, Crossroads; Dorothy Strickland, Ridgewood; Pearl Pye, Horn Hill; Ethel Robson, Crossroads; Dorothy Goodacre, Clearview.

Canning Vegetables—Blanche Vickers, Ethel Robson, Crossroads; Dorothy Strickland, Ridgewood; Margaret Streatch, Waskasoo; Pearl Pye, Horn Hill.

Domestic Science—Sewing

Cleaning Mitt—Phyllis Opie, Waskasoo; Hazel Pengelly, Olive Code, Springvale; Ella McInroy, Edwell; Caroline Pye, Horn Hill.

Hemmed Towel—Olive Code, Springvale; Ella McInroy, Edwell; Edna Christian, Poplar Ridge.

Hand Sewn Bag—Olive Code, Springvale; Ethel Strickland, Ridgewood; Ella McInroy, Edwell; Hazel Pengelly, Muriel Code, Springvale.

Apron—Esther Staples, Poplar Ridge; Edith McKenzie, Hillsdown; Dorothy Strickland, Ridgewood; Ethel Pye, Horn Hill; Bessie Hamilton, Willowdale.

Hemmed Patch on Cotton—Alberta Heaman, Hillsdown; Dorothy Beckley, Springvale; Caroline James, Balmoral; Florence Cheaveau, Hillsdown; Blanche Vickers, Crossroads.

Woven Darning—Winnie Strickland, Ridgewood.

Button Holes and Fasteners—Alberta Heaman, Hillsdown; Dorothy Strickland, Ridgewood; Ethel Pye, Pearl Pye, Horn Hill.

Hemstitched Towel—Dorothy Strickland, Ridgewood; Blanche Vickers, Crossroads; Edith McKenzie, Hillsdown; Ethel Pye, Horn Hill; Laura Brett, Springvale.

Knitting—Nina Oldford, Horn Hill; Blanche Vickers, Crossroads; Margaret Streatch, Waskasoo; Dorothy Strickland, Ridgewood; Laura Streatch, Waskasoo.

Thrift Problem—Laura Streatch, Waskasoo; Alberta Heaman, Hillsdown; Edith McKenzie, Hillsdown; Margaret Streatch, Waskasoo; Ethel Pye, Horn Hill.

Flowers of three varieties, 36 entries—Marjorie Wickwire, Willowdale; Dorothy Strickland, Ridgewood; Blanche Vickers, Crossroads; Hattie Whittemore, Hillsdown; Mary Ashmore, Crossroads; May Comer, Edwell; Pearl Pye, Horn Hill; Edith McKenzie, Hillsdown; Vera Kind, Hillsdown.

Bouquet—Shottie Bjorkeland, Horn Hill; Gwen Bacon, Balmoral; Enid Keiser, Valley Centre; Esther Staples, Poplar Ridge; Jean Blakely, Crossroads; Ruth Whittemore, Hattie Whittemore, Hillsdown; Blanche Vickers, Crossroads.

SCHOOL WORK

Grades I. and II.

Class 61, model fruit or vegetable—Muriel Corrigan, Gertrude Reay, Eleanor Scott, Pearl Reay, Valley Centre; Reggie Patchett, Edwell.

Class 62, drawing fruit or vegetable—Geo. Milne, Crossroads; Geo. Kirton, Edwell; John Roberts, Horn Hill; Norman Cheveau, Gladys Lawrence, Hillsdown.

Class 63, surface pattern—Doris Henderson, Allan Code, Springvale; Geo. Kirton, Reggie Patchett, Edwell; Geo. Milne, Crossroads.

Class 64, paper tearing or cutting—John Roberts, Tom Cade, Horn Hill; Geo. Kirton, Reggie Patchett, Edwell; Paul Staples, Willowdale.

Class 65, paper construction—Gertrude Reay, Valley Centre; Lucille McDougall, Waskasoo; John Roberts, Horn Hill; Pearl Reay, Valley Centre; Lucille McDougall, Waskasoo.

Class 66, booklet—Norman Chaveau, Bruce Whittemore, Hillsdown; Phyllis Opie, Martha Fleming, Waskasoo; Muriel Corrigan, Valley Centre.

Class 67, Drawing leaves or flower—Grades III and IV—Olive Code, Springvale; Jessie Crowhurst, Ridgewood; Hazel Pengelly, Springvale; David Bourne, Hugh Crowhurst, Ridgewood.

Class 68, Envelope—Lee Moschenross, Hillsdown; Laurie Streatch, Robt. Botsford, Waskasoo; Myron Rodehorst, Hillsdown; Lloyd Graham, Edwell.

Class 69, landscape—Leonard Milne Crossroads; Myron Rodehorst, Hillsdown; Jesse Bourne, Ridgewood; May Vincent, Hillsdown; Melvin Latam, Crossroads.

Class 70, Poster—Herman Sandquist, May Vincent, Hillsdown; Doris Comfort, Helen Kitching, Clearview; Myron Rodehorst, Hillsdown.

Class 71, Box—Myron Rodehorst, Lee Moschenross, Hillsdown; John Kaiser, Gordon Stewart, Walter Bolze, Valley Centre.

Class 72, Booklet—May Vincent, Hillsdown; Joan Finch, Poplar Ridge; Herman Sandquist, Lee Moschenross, Myron Rodehorst, Hillsdown.

Class 73, Drawing bird or animal—Grades V and VI—Norman Bawtinheimer, Mervin Brett, Springvale; Walter Sandquist, Hillsdown; Evelyn Pengelly, Springvale; Frank Whittemore, Hillsdown.

Class 74, Lamp shade—Walter Code, Dorothy Beckley, Laura Brett, Springvale; Basil Cheveau, Hillsdown; Evelyn Pengelly, Springvale.

Class 75, Landscape—Edith Rob-

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LOCAL NEWS

Mrs. F. M. Fowler has returned from Chicago.

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Mrs. J. T. Holmes has been visiting friends at Calgary.

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Mrs. Streatfield is visiting her parents at Etzikon, Alberta.

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Macgregor Parsons left last week to attend school in the east.

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Miss Day has returned from a pleasant visit with friends in Calgary.

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The Catholic Ladies' Aid have reserved Saturday, November 24th, for their Christmas bazaar.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Weston have returned from a very pleasant visit to Portage la Prairie and to Banff.

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Mr. Sheppard will conduct services next Sunday, September 30th, at Condor, 2.30 p.m., and Eckville at 7.30 p.m.

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Miss Rennie, Calgary, who has been visiting her cousins, George and Jacob Lobb, Balmoral, returned to Calgary last week.

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Col. Bryan, commissioner Alberta Provincial Police, Edmonton, was in the city yesterday, paying the local detachment an official visit.

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"His Master's Voice" Red Seal Records—now double-sided—practically at the old single price. Hear them today at Gaetz-Cornett's.

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The rain on Thursday and inch of snow on Friday only delayed threshing one day. Threshing machines were busy again Monday last.

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Miss Mina Cole leaves next week for Queen's University, Kingston, where she will take third year and some of fourth year work in arts.

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The Rev. T. H. McAllister will conduct services next Sunday, September 30th, at Alhambra, 11 a.m., Arbutus, 3 p.m., and Rocky Mt. House at 7.30 p.m.

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Mrs. J. J. Dale, who has been to the Coast for the benefit of her health, with her daughter, Miss Una Dale, for some weeks, is home again, much benefitted by the trip.

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G. A. Sheline received word recently of the death of his father at Heber Springs, Arkansas. He had been in poor health for a year. He was nearly seventy years of age.

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John Quigg, barrister, has resigned from the position of crown prosecutor for this district. G. C. S. Crosby, of Crosby & Colpitts, barristers, has been appointed to the vacancy.

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The returning officer for the prohibition referendum on November 5th is said to be L. J. Porter for the Red Deer constituency. Mr. Porter should make a very capable official.

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Mrs. MacDonald, of Calgary, will start her dancing classes in Red Deer just as soon as a sufficient number of pupils can be obtained. Further information will be gladly given by Mrs. H. J. Snell.

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Japanese Tea: A contribution tea will be held by the I.O.D.E. at the home of Mrs. Howlett, First St. South, Parkvale, on Friday, 5th of October, from 3 to 6. Proceeds will be given to the Japanese relief fund.

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Miss Mollie Cassels, who has been visiting all summer with her brother, W. A., and Mrs. Cassels, leaves for a visit to the Coast tomorrow before returning to Scotland. Mr. Cassels will accompany her to the Coast.

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Rev. Gerald McComas met his sister Miss McComas, at Calgary yesterday, and they returned to Red Deer this morning. Miss McComas has just arrived from England, and will visit at the rectory for some time.

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Two of our old and reliable citizens are going into the grain business in Red Deer, namely, John Malcolm and R. B. Welliver. They should do well in this line of business, as they are both well known. See their announcement in another column.

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Percy Kent, J.P., rounded up some twenty head of cattle running at large in North Red Deer last week contrary to the village by-law and drove them to the pound. E. Hermary pleaded guilty before D. G. Fisher, J. P., to having cattle running at large and was fined $2.00 and costs.

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Knox Presbyterian Church will hold their anniversary concert and supper on Monday, October 1. Rev. Dr. McQueen will give an address in the evening and the choir and their friends a musical programme. Supper at 5.30 and concert at 8.30. Admission, including both, adults 50c, children 35c.

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F. H. Anquetil is having a three months' credit auction sale of his livestock, implements, furniture, etc., at his place, 10 miles west of Red Deer, on Thursday, November 8th, commencing at 11 a.m. The farm will be offered for sale at the same time. See Mr. Anquetil for terms on land. A. Rogers, auctioneer.

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The eleventh annual convention of the Alberta W.C.T.U. will be held in the Methodist Church on the 3rd, 4th and 5th of October. There will be morning, afternoon and evening sessions each day. Wednesday evening the Rev. Ben Spence, of Toronto, will give an address. Thursday evening there will be a diamond medal contest with musical program.

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There were less ducks shot in this district this year than in any former year in the history of the province This was due, no doubt, to the fact that there were few sloughs and few ducks. Messrs. Geo. Ely, Alex. Mitchell and Lancaster got a fine lot in the Erskine district, and Doctor Plaxton from Calgary got a bunch, but generally speaking local nimrods had no luck.

CITY'S CASE AGAINST THE WESTERN GENERAL

Application for directions in the case of the city against the Western General was made to the Public Utilities Commission in Edmonton on Thursday last. The city are petitioning for compulsory reduction of the rates charged by the company and for abolition of several other abuses.

On the application the company questioned the jurisdiction of the Commission to decide the matter. They claimed that Sub-secion 2 of Section 54 of the Public Utilities Act, as passed at last session, debarred the Commission from adjudicating on contracts made prior to 1923. The city claim that the sub-section mentioned had no bearing on their action.

Judge Carpenter and Commissioner Fream reserved their decision as to their jurisdiction, but will give judgment on the point in the near future. If they decide in favor of the city's contention, the company will have a limited time to file a defence, and they will be ordered to produce their books, etcs., for inspection by the city.

W. E. Payne, K.C., appeared for the city, and Frank Ford, K.C., of Edmonton, for the corporation.

DR. PRICE IN RED DEER

Rev. Dr. Price, who has been holding evangelistic meetings in Calgary, commenced meetings in Red Deer last evening in the Methodist Church. He will remain in the city Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings. These meetings will be largely attended, and no doubt will do a great amount of good. Quite a number of Red Deer people attended his meetings in Calgary.

RED DEER MARKET PRICES

Wheat, No. 1	74c
Oats, No. 2 C.W.	27c
Barley, No. 3 C.W.	33c
Rye, No. 2 C.W.	44c
Cream, table	34c
Cream, special	32c
Cream, No. 1	30c
Cream, No. 2	27c

DOVERCOURT

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sinclair, of Dovercourt, who were married on August 30th, entertained their friends at a dance on September 30th. On account of a bad storm, the crowd was not large, but all present had a splendid time. Refreshments were much enjoyed, and the feast was crowned by the appearance of a beautiful wedding cake, of which all received a piece for lucky dreams.

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THE PIANO CONTEST

Another week gone, and the standing is changed again, although the same three contestants are in the first three places with their positions altered. The biggest advances have been made by Dorothy Wilson, who has been moved up to fourth place by getting in nearly seven thousand votes during the week, and Myrtle Jacobson, of Brooksley. Many others have done well, however, and if they keep up the same good work will not be long getting in the first division.

The four contestants in the first four places are all city contestants, who have had more experience in similar contests, and realize the necessity of getting a good start. But we think they will find it difficult to keep their lead over some of the country contestants, who are only starting to really canvass their supporters.

The standing as at the count on Saturday evening last, after the store had closed for the week, is as follows:

1. Kate Brown, city	22760
2. Alice Anderson, city	21520
3. Jean Shannon, city	21210
4. Dorothy Wilson, city	17775
5. Besie Code, Springvale	15765
6. Betty Vincent, Horn Hill	15755
7. Elsie Holbrook, Benalto	15300
8. Myrtle Jacobson, Brooksley	14100
9. Mrs. Locke McKinnon, Clearview	13590
10. Mrs. W. M. Petro, Blackfalds	13370
11. Dorothy Fiske, Hillsdown	12805
12. Marguerite Goring, city	12605
13. Dora Wright, Crossroads	12365
14. Helene Usherwood, city	11910
15. Mary Towers, Edwell	11755
16. Florence Lund, city	11555
17. Mabel Pengelly, Springvale	11510
18. Lena Wilson, city	11255
19. Esther Bolze, Valley Centre	11210
20. Ethel McDonald, Ridgewood	11040
21. Jean Patterson, city	10935
22. Iva Dann, Balmoral	10785
23. Madge Lutes, Ridgewood	10500
24. Pearl Rabidou	10490
25. Hilda Blakeley, Crossroads	10165
26. Mrs. Jas. Rice, city	10035
27. Ruby Muir, city	9725
28. Rose E. Castle, city	9650
29. Catherine Morton, city	9610
30. Marie Sveinson, Burnt Lake	9360
31. Retta Austen, Poplar Ridge	9275
32. Annie Pixley, Hill End	9250
33. Marjory Mott, Balmoral	8925
34. Dorothy Moore, Ridgewood	8780
35. Gladys Douglas, Penhold	8560
36. Ella Herman, Poplar Ridge	8540
37. Page Houston, city	8485
38. Bessie Reay, Willowdale	8080
39. Esther Riekki, Sylvan Lake	8070
40. Helen Neilson, Crossroads	7875
41. Catherine Pyke, city	7825
42. Evelyn James, Balmoral	7760
43. Lena White, city	7745
44. Ethel Harrigan, city	7490
45. Lovella Piper	7430
46. Gertie Connors, city	7430
47. Adeline Hart, Penhold	7170
48. Edna Webb, city	6595
49. Fred Rawlinson, city	6565
50. Lou McRoberts	6555
51. Edith Stanway, city	6490
52. Ina Simon, city	6380
53. Mrs. Sam Johnson, Poplar Ridge	5645

CITY COUNCIL

Hold Long Meeting—Discuss Problem of Skating Rink—Endorse Citizens' Research League—Still Unable to Take Action on Kingsmill Ave. Bridge—A. T. Stephenson Re-appointed Assessor for 1924.

The regular meeting of the City Council was held in the Council chambers on Monday night, with Mayor Collison in the chair, and Aldermen Johns, Galbraith, McLure and Hill and Commissioner Stephenson present. Several deputations were also present in connection with different matters.

Correspondence was read as follows: From Secretary, Town of Drumheller, asking for information and forms with regard to sewer charges and installation. The Secretary had replied. The Citizens' Research League of Calgary wrote of taxation problems and advised a conference of all interested to consider the revision and broadening of the basis of taxation. Council commended the action of the Commissioner in replying that the Council were in sympathy with the idea and would be glad to take a part in any such conference. A. T. Stephenson, returning officer, wrote that as there had been no nominations for the vacancy in the Council, there had been no election. Council decided that in view of the fact that the annual elections were so near, no further call would be made for nominations to fill the vacancy. J. L. Jamieson, Superintendent C. P. R., advised Council that cinders could be obtained at the roundhouse at 45c per yard. These are required for filling in the screens at the intakes, which are being cleaned.

W. E. Payne, K.C., and W. E. Lord were present as representatives of a committee that is interested in having a skating rink built by the city this fall. They presented a petition that the city undertake the building of a rink with a minimum ice surface of 72x180 feet. The estimated cost of such a rink, similar to that in use in Stettler, would be about $13,000.00. The petition asked that debentures be floated to cover the cost, payment to be extended over at least 15 years and interest not to exceed 7 percent. Both Mr. Payne and Mr. Lord felt that most if not all the flotation could be sold locally, and between them they would guaranee to dispose of at least half. They pointed out that the Lacombe rink cost about $7,000.00 some years ago, and that the Stettler rink built last year cost $12,500.00. The Stettler rink last year had paid $500.00 over and above the cost of running it, and in Red Deer it was reasonable to presume that a rink would show better returns.

The petition presented had 89 names attached, all of them resident ratepayers who were entitled to vote on debentures. Only 93 men had been canvassed, none of them on the Council, and with the exception of four had appeared glad to sign and anxious to have the rink constructed at once.

Mayor Collison did not see how the city could justifiably incur the liability necessary, although he was himself anxious to see a rink built. At the same time he felt that in the face of the petition all that could be done was to submit the money by-law to the people. The Aldermen all spoke along much the same lines. They felt that the city was having and had been having a very hard time with finances and the extra burden should not be added. It was a very fine thing and almost a necessity, but in reality was a luxury that could be done without for some time longer. But with such an imposing petition before them they could not help but find the wishes of the majority of the people. Ultimately it was decided to feel out the Public Utilities Commissioners on the matter at once and find whether they will consent to debentures being issued if such appears to be the wish of the voters.

A deposit of $50.00 was accepted from E. Hermary on his purchase of that part of Riverview subdivision to be cancelled. He is to pay $25.00 per acre for the subdivision when the city can give title.

Commissioners' Report

The Commissioners' report was presented as follows:

1. Foreman Jones has commenced cleaning the intake wells, and this will be completed as soon as possible. It will take two or three weeks.

2. It will be necessary to get coal soon. Quotations were asked from the local dealers, which are submitted herewith, and we would respectfully ask your instructions re. ordering the supply for winter. About 50 tons will be required. If it is deemed advisable to experiment with slack coal mixed with steam coal, it might be possible to split a car with the school and the hospital.

3. We submit herewith estimate of Foreman Jones for building bridge over Waskasoo Creek on Kingsmill Ave. extension. This estimate is based on using material from the old Great West Hotel property and doing most of the work during the winter. Engineer Dawe is submitting estimate of cost of grading the new road.

4. We submit estimates of cost of motor and sewage pump for 5th St. sewer. The government wishes to have this sewer built this fall if possible.

5. We submit information obtained re. taxi licenses.

6. E. Hermary has tendered a cheque for $50.00 to apply on purchase price of Riverview subdivision that is to be cancelled. We hope to have this cancellation completed before the end of the year.

7. We submit for your consideration the following by-laws:

To authorize the signing of a transfer of Lots 35 to 37 in Block 31, to Mrs. Goring.

To appoint an assessor for the year 1924.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

DR. J. COLLISON,
A. T. STEPHENSON,
Commissioners.

The matter of the coal for city uses was left over until the Commissioners can get some information as to the possibilities of mixing steam coal and slack to some extent.

It was not possible as yet to give definite instructions with regard to the Kingsmill Ave. extension, as the city engineer has not prepared an estimate of the earth to be moved in constructing the road. The matter was left in the hands of the Commissioners to use their discretion within defined limits, as soon as the engineer's estimate is received.

The 5th street sewer proposition had to be laid over again. The commissioner will ascertain from Swift Current and from R. B. Owens further as to the cost of operation of motor and sewage pump on 5th Street. It is out of the quesion to run the sewer down Waskasoo Ave. as proposed, as the cost is too high.

The taxi license was also shelved again. It appears that some of the garage owners had signed the petition to the Council under a misapprehension. The matter will be dealt with again before the new year.

By-laws 579 and 580 were given the necessary readings and passed. The former authorized the signing of a tranfer of lots 35-37 in block 31 to Mrs. Goring. The latter appointed A. T. Stephenson as assessor for 1924.

Accounts

The following accounts were passed for payment:

Garland Packing Co., $93.04; P. E. Wilson, $4.00; Sec. Library Board, $100.00; Registrar Lands Titles, $4.75; A. Fyfe, $13.52; K. Bowman, $60.00; Public Utilities Commission, $8.00; Dr. Collison, $7.50.

Council adpourned at 12 p.m.



RT. HON. ARTHUR MEIGHEN
ex-premier of Canada, who will address a mass meeting in the Rex Theatre this Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Everybody invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay Thornhill are in from Trochu for a short visit.

Miss Mabel Jarrett, of Calgary, is visiting with Mrs. R. J. Cox for a couple of weeks.

Miss Eileen Hepworth left on Sunday for Calgary, where she expects to take a position in stenography.

Mrs. Wm. McDonald, of Edmonton, who has been visiting her sister, Miss Armour, returned home yesterday.

The Red Deer Choral Society will meet in the Assembly Hall of the school on Wednesday evening, October 3rd, at 8 o'clock. All members and those interested are cordially invited to be present.

C. C. Mackenzie, formerly principal of the public school, was in the city the beginning of the week visiting friends. He left yesterday to take up his studies at the University of Alberta, Edmonton South.

The Lady Superintendent of the Memorial Hospital desires to thank Holy Trinity church congregation, Pinne Lake, for vegetables from the Harvest Festival, sent in Monday. Also the Red Deer District School Fair for vegetables donated.

Leone McGregor, Alberta Russell, Mary Reid, Ford Tallman, John Rovers, Howard George, Darwin Houston and Cliff Osterlund are the students who have left this week to attend the University of Alberta at Edmonton. Angus Bannerman has returned to Western Canada College, Calgary.

The Nordegg footballers lost out in the Bennett Shield competition to the Calgary Callies by a score of 2-1. The southerners scored both their goals in the first few minutes, but after that the miners were the superior team. Nordegg team is not as strong as when they were here for the Citizens' Cup, as several of their regular players are out of the game.

The Salvation Army: Adjutant Lawson of the Salvation Army would like every ticket holder to take special notice that the harvest home special programme, which was announced for October 1st, is postponed until Saturday, 13th, owing to the Presbyterian Church holding their annual supper on October 1st. Friends have therefore asked us to change. October 13th, 14th and 15th special harvest festival meeting will be conducted. Programme on Saturday, 13th, special meeting Sunday, on Monday a home cooking sale, sale of work and vegetables. Please hold on to your tickets until the 13th.

FLASH

Edmonton Grads. defeated Ontario challengers at basketball, 41-11.

BIRTHS

At Blackfalds, on September 19th, 1923, to Mr. and Mrs. E. Morris, a son.

At Springvale, on September 13th, 1923, to Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Johnston, a son.

At West Park, on September 20th, 1923, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hanson, a daughter.

DEATHS

BRYAN—Died, in Red Deer, on Sept. 25th, 1923, Margaretta Lorraine Bryan, aged 4 months, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Guy W. Bryan, of Mirror, Alta. The funeral service, conducted by Rev. Father Voisin, will take place from the Catholic Church today (Wednesday) at 2 p.m., to the Catholic Cemetery. Inquiries, Phone 61.

THE LATE JAMES BEATTY

Mayor Collison has received word of the death at Lansdowne, Ont., of Mr. James Beatty, familiarly known as "Jim" Beatty, at the age of 75 years.

Mr. Beatty was one of the real old-timers of the Red Deer district, coming to Red Deer crossing with his cousin George Beatty and Wm. Kemp, Innisfail, in 1882; the late Seth Bannerman came in 1883, and the late Dr. Gaetz and Mr. Dobler in 1884. The Beatty cousins squatted and afterwards homesteaded, "Jim's" place being that now farmed by Mr. C. J. Streatch, Waskasoo S.D. He established a freight station on the old Calgary and Edmonton trail, well known to early day packers, but devoted himself chiefly to farming. He lived at Red Deer until 1914, when he went east on account of his health, and lived with his sister in Leeds County. He was never married. Mrs. John Collison, Red Deer; and Capt. Walter Beatty, Calgary, are relatives of the deceased.

The old-timers speak kindly of him as a good neighbor and an unassuming citizen.

DEATH OF B. J. OSTRANDER

Mr. A. W. Dell, manager of the B. J. Ostrander elevator and business at Red Deer, received word Thursday morning of the death at Winnipeg of the head of the firm. The despatches from Winnipeg contain the following particulars:—

"Benjamin J. Ostrander, aged 41, a prominent member of the Winnipeg Grain Exchange, fell to his death late Wednesday from the fire escape on the sixth floor of the Grain Exchange building. Police officials stated they did not consider the tragedy other than accidental. Friends of Ostrander state he went out on the fire escape to get a breath of air, and they presume he had a fainting spell and toppled over the balcony. He was not looking very well at the time, they state. Mr. Ostrander had been in the grain brokerage business for about 25 years. Ten years ago he established the B. J. Ostrander Grain Company at Winnipeg."

Mr. Ostrander visited Red Deer a year ago not long after the purchase of the business here. Mr. Dell speaks very highly of him. He was the mainstay of the firm.

Diner—"Look here, this steak isn't fit for a dog to eat!"

Manager—"Sorry, sir; if you'll wait five minutes I'll send you up one that is."

A kind-hearted woman who was being shown through the jail exclaimed to a convict: "Won't you be glad when your sentence is over?"

Convict—I don't know.

Lady—You don't know. Why?

Convict—I'm in for life.—Chicago Herald—Examiner.

EXCAVATING DINOSAURS

Great success has attended the efforts of two excavating parties in search of skeletons of dinosaurs this summer along the cut-banks of the Red Deer river near Munson. Unusually good remains have been taken from the valley, one specimen measuring thirty-eight feet in length, and several other smaller ones have been discovered.

In the past, there has been a general complaint that these relics of perhaps millions of years ago were being shipped out of the country when they should be placed in museums in Canada. Both parties working in the Red Deer valley, near Munson, this summer are searching for specimens to be kept in this country.

One party, under the leadership of Professor Lindblad, has been working in the interests of Toronto University, while the other party, under the direction of Professor Sternberg, is under the supervision of the geological department of the Dominion government.

One particular specimen, excavated under Professor Lindblad's direction, was thirty-eight feet long, the thigh being as big round as a man's body.

This specimen has been crated, and is now on the loading platform at Munson depot waiting shipment to Toronto University.

As each part of the dinosaur is unearthed, it is wrapped in burlap and cast in plaster of paris. When one side is set, the bone is turned over and the other side treated in a similar manner. The pieces are carefully numbered, and search continues until the whole remains are unearthed.

One Sunday afternoon in July, when the best specimen was unearthed, many parties from the community drove to the camp to view the dinosaur and the professor gave the crowd a splendid talk on dinosaurs in general, describing the age in which they lived, possibly three million years ago, and showed markings on the fossils of these lizard-like creatures.

Some of the finest specimens of dinosaur have been discovered in the Red Deer Valley, west of Munson. In fact, it is reported that the discoveries this year have been the best yet found.

Bill Jones is a country storekeeper down in Louisiana, and last spring he went to New Orleans to purchase a stock of goods. The goods were shipped immediately and reached home before he did.

When the boxes of goods were delivered at his store by the drayman his wife happened to look at the largest; she uttered a loud cry and called for a hammer. A neighbor, hearing the screams, rushed to her assistance and asked what was the matter.

The wife, pale and faint, pointed to an inscription on the box which read as follows: "Bill inside."

GAS GUSHER BROUGHT IN NEAR FORT SASKATCHEWAN

While drilling for water on the ffarm of Izidore Paradis on 4-55-23, W. 5, at Dungh, R. H. Weaver, the driller in charge of operations, brought in a gas well of great pressure and as a result a column of water sixty feet or more is now shooting skyward.

The location of the Paradis farm is fourteen miles north-east of Edmonton and six miles west of Fort Saskatchewan, but at the present time the farm is as much lake as anything else, and from the volume of fluid escaping Mr. Pardis states that the ground is seven feet deep in water.

The gas was struck at a depth of four hundred and six feet, and with the penetration of the formation which held it the pressure was sufficient to blow the baler out of the well, while when first released water shot to what is estimated to be eighty feet. Stones were also discharged from the piping and were carried for considerable distances. The mixture of water and gas is escaping from the three-inch pipe with a roar which can be heard before the farm is reached.

R. H. Weaver, the driller, who has been engaged for a number of years in prospecting for coal, gas and other minerals, is of the opinion that the present blow-out may be of importance, considering the proximity of the well to Edmonton, and apparently other people are of the same opinion, as immediately it became known that gas had been struck a number of petroleum claims were immediately filed in the Dominion land office here yesterday.—Edmonton Bulletin.

WALK AND BE HEALTHY

People Do Not Take Enough Exercise, Says Physician

A prominent consulting physician of national reputation, commenting upon the increasing large number of men and women who are afflicted with nervous disorders of various kinds, states emphatically that this growing evil is largely the result of lack of proper exercise. He states that if people would walk at least two miles a day regularly they would never know what insomnia or high blood pressure means. He claims that overfeeding and under exercise are two greatest enemies of health and happiness. He says that street cars and automobiles are the bane of modern urban life and unless this temptation to ride is overcome or properly regulated, the next generation will be flabby and anaemic. There is not the least doubt that the use of good shoe leather means increased efficiency both physical and mental. "Walk and Be Healthy" is a slogan well worth keeping before the present generation. A mile a day will keep the doctor away.

CITY COUNCIL

Mayor Collison, Ald. Johns, McClure and Galbraith, Commissioner Stephenson and Solicitor Payne attended a special City Council meeting on Tuesday evening.

The chief business was the presentation by Mr. Payne of some lines of proposed action in the hearing of the city's case against the Western General Electric Co. for reduction of lighting and power rates, which was to come before the Public Utilities Commission at Edmonton on Thursday. One statute under which the city may proceed became law on July 1, and on July 10 the city asked that the hearing be set down. The date was fixed by the Commission for August 21, but, owing to Mr. Frank Ford, K.C., counsel for the Western General, being absent in the East, it being understood that he was to be married, the hearing was postponed for a month.

The Council generally approved of Mr. Payne's proposals.

Will Sell Property

Mrs. J. F. Goring offered to pay the back taxes on lots 35, 36, 37, block 31, Plan K, Fourth St. North, amounting to $461.33, in cash, on condition of receiving title therefor from the city. Mrs. Goring has been living on the property, and the late Mr. Goring had had a $600 cash equity in it. The offer was accepted, and the necessary bylaw will be prepared.

The Kingsmill Avenue Bridge

The Council had one tender for the bridge proposed on Kingsmill Ave., and Foreman Jones will be asked to make an estimate. The city staff may possibly build it this winter from Great West Hotel material. The Commissioners were doubtful about the grading cost and maintenance.

Accounts

The following accounts were passed for payment:—

Western General Electric Co., $24.04; Secretary Board Public Utilities, $20.25; August wage list, $208.60; News Publishing Co., $3; Fred Lund, $16.10; M. Card & Son, $12.30; A. T. Stephenson, $22.30; E. G. Johns & Co., $10.15; Dep. Minister Railways and Phones, $18.15; E. Soderberg, $10; Bank of Montreal, $1301.03; Mrs. Coram, $40; Attorney-General of Alberta, $45; Gaetz-Cornett Co., $3.90; McLarty Hardware Co., $10; P. E. Wilson, $4; Jarvis-Goodey Co., $2.50; J. Malcolm, $9.58.

The meeting adjourned at 9:30.

Here and There

Russia has more illiterates, and at the same time, more bookshops than any other country in Europe.

The largest consignment of silk from the Orient for many months, consisting of 5,500 bales, valued at $9,000,000, formed part of the cargo of the "Empress of Russia" recently.

A shipment of silk from China, consisting of ten carloads, valued at two million dollars, went forward from Vancouver to New York under special guard over the Canadian Pacific lines recently.

The first of a series of six new seaplanes being constructed for the Canadian Government has just been delivered. The new planes are to be used in forest patrol for the prevention of destruction by fire.

Following the disastrous earthquakes and fires which devastated large areas in Japan, the Canadian Pacific lines "Empress of Canada" and "Empress of Australia" were thrown open to the accommodation of thousands of refugees, while the officers and men of the vessels did splendid work in organizing and assisting rescue parties.

The rapid increase in the export butter trade of Saskatchewan during the past year or two, has been the outstanding feature of the Provincial dairy industry. Recently the Saskatchewan Co-operative Creameries made a shipment of 25,000 lbs. of butter to China.

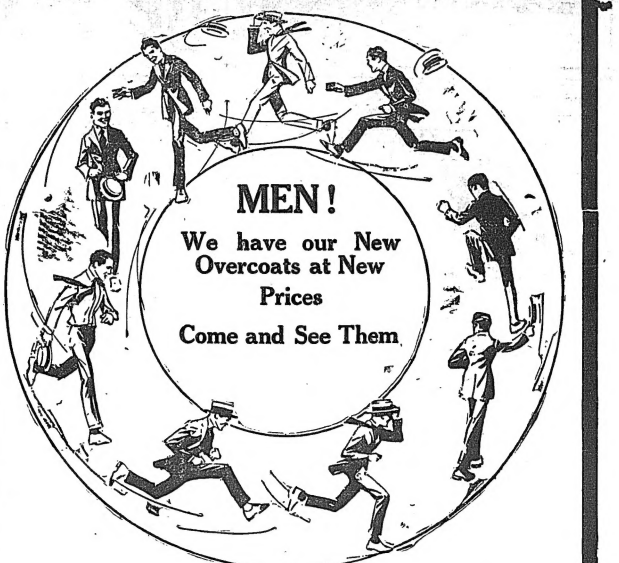
For almost two decades the major portion of the world's supply of cobalt has been derived from the silver-cobalt-nickel arsenides of the Cobalt district, according to figures compiled by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics. The cobalt production of Canada in 1922 was 569,960 pounds, which at $3.25 a pound, would be worth $1,852,370.

Canada's trade within the Empire is increasing. For the twelve months ended July, Canada exported to other parts of the Empire goods amounting to $453,437,899. This is in comparison with $354,992,074, the figure for the corresponding twelve months previous. Imports from British Empire countries during the two twelve months' periods were: Ended July, 1923, $191,811,190; ended July, 1922, $153,185,681.

A wheat crop of 382,514,000 bushels is forecasted in a report issued by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics. The report is based upon the condition of crops at the end of July, and indicates that the Prairie Provinces will produce 357,295,000 bushels of wheat if weather conditions continue favorable. Manitoba, it is expected, will have a total wheat yield of 44,468,000 bushels; Saskatchewan 211,051,000; and Alberta 101,776,000 bushels. Alberta is the only province to show an increased yield as compared with 1922.

A party of five journalists, representing the leading newspapers of Switzerland, who recently arrived at Quebec, are the guests in Canada of E. W. Beatty, President of the Canadian Pacific Railway. They will tour the Dominion in the interests of Swiss colonization. Stops will be made at different points where Swiss people are farming, and opportunity will be given to members of the party to converse with them and get first hand knowledge as to the desirability of Canada as a place for Swiss colonists.

In a letter on "Canada and Land Settlement," published by the Morning Post, Sir Geo. McLaren Brown, European manager of the Canadian Pacific Railway, says that the agricultural salvation of Western Canada lies in mixed farming, which calls for smaller and more numerous agricultural holdings than wheat growing does, and results in closer settlement and better communication. The bigger and more densely settled the rural population, the more social amenities there are and greater advantages generally, he says.



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DEMPSEY KNOCKS OUT FIRPO

New York, Sept. 14.—Jack Dempsey, world's heavy weight champion, knocked out Louis Angel Firpo, the Argentine challenger, in the second round of a scheduled 15-round contest tonight. The bout ended 55 seconds after the start of the furious second round when Dempsey floored the challenger with punches to the body and when he struggled to his feet knocked him out, with a left hook and a right to the chin.

The battle, witnessed by ninety thousand persons, was one of the fiercest heavyweight contests fought in years. The Argentine giant after being floored four times in the first round, knocked Dempsey completely through the ropes. When the champion crawled back in, he was groggy and bleeding and probably only managed to last through the round because of his greater experience. Dempsey tore right into Firpo from the start, hooking over short lefts and rights while the bewildered slow-moving Argentinan retreated.

Dempsey's share of the proceeds, 37½ per cent, was $480,000, while Firpo, whose share was 12½ per cent, will receive about $160,000, twice as much as he got for any previous bout.

Harry Scott, the Calgary Albertan sport editor, wired: "In the first round, in an unexpected manner, Dempsey was knocked right through the ropes and on the press table. The newspaper scribes immediately helped him back and pushed him into the ring. That is strictly against the rules, but there was no holler from Firpo's corner, which was surprising, but not so very surprising either, because he had no person in his corner with any experience in the game."

THE HEART'S WINE-PRESS.

He rang the door-bell timidly.
He was stooped and wasted.
"Well?" said an icy voice from the doorway.

"Would you like to buy a broom?" asked the man. "I made them myself. They will give you good service."

"No," said the woman in the doorway; "I don't care for any of your old brooms! Neither do I care to have tramp peddlars come to my front door!" Her words cut like sharp blades, and the man staggered as though smitten.

"Lady, I am so sorry," he said in broken tones, and turned quickly away. He tapped nervously with his cane, and, as he stepped from the porch, missed his footing and fell to the pavement. He arose, fumbling for his pack of brooms. And then the woman saw that he was blind!

"Oh," said she, in a voice of kind sympathy. "I am so sorry! I did not know! Of course I will buy a broom!"

"I DID NOT KNOW." Is not this the sad cry that goes up always from the lips of regret? IF WE ONLY KNEW! There would be so much more kindness and helpfulness, so much less cruelty and criticism, if we could only read what is written in the heart of the other party.

When the great Master walked the earth "he was moved with compassion." He saw how it was with people. He saw the tragic pathos of life. He saw the struggle, the burden, the pain of it all. And there was a great, sobbing sorrow in His heart for the children of men!

To-day and to-morrow, as you walk to and fro, you will see people with hard, stern faces; others will be all wreathed in smiles and laughter—crowned. Yet, doubt it not, each has drank deep of the cup of sorrow. Carefully screened from the world—for sorrow is sensitive, shrinking from publicity, hidden by the bravado of a smile or a frown—there are things sad and bitter in each pilgrim heart!—things which, if known, would hold in leash the hard words of censure and extend the hand of pity and brotherly love!

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YOU KNOW
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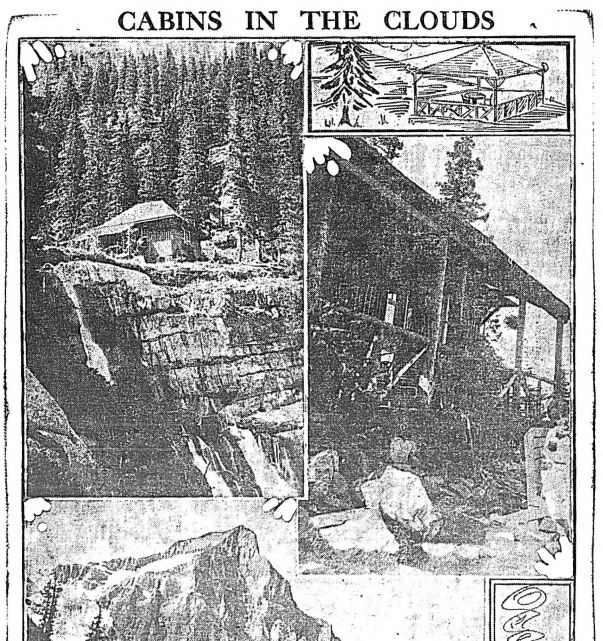
YOU KNOW
THAT boot-legging is rampant in Alberta, prevalent in B.C. and has almost disappeared from Quebec.

YOU KNOW
THAT by the approval of Clause "D" the Governmen of Alberta can adopt and combine the best points of the B.C. and Quebec sysstems to the advantage of our Province.

YOU KNOW
THAT B.C. distributes $2,500,000, and Quebec $4,000,000 in the support of roads, schools, hospitals, etc., from the profits of the first years af operation. We have given ours to the bootlegger.

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Moderation League of Alberta

CABINS IN THE CLOUDS



Upper left shows the "Beehive" on the shores of Lake Agnes, near Lake Louise, in the Canadian Rockies. At the right is another place where one might drink tea served from quaint English china on top of Mount Fairview, in the same district.

To climb 6,875 feet above Lake Louise and to enjoy a cup of tea in delightful surroundings is one of the attractions offered visitors to Lake Louise, Alta. Tea houses on mountain peaks were unheard of a few years ago, but to-day there are at least a dozen of them situated in the Canadian Rockies.

Two of the most picturesque are the "Beehive" on the shores of Lake Agnes, about two miles and a half from the Chateau and the other a rustic log cabin on the top of Mount Fairview. Walking and pony excursions over the mountains in the vicinity of this picturesque lake are among the popular pastimes of visitors from all parts of the globe to "the lakes in the clouds."

From the "Beehive" one can get a perfect view of Mirror Lake and Lake Louise, which, with Lake Agnes, are known as "the lakes in the clouds." This cosy little tea room is owned by Miss E. Dodds and operated during the season by Miss Goddard. Its furnishings are quaint and rustic.

The foodstuffs are delivered every morning by pack pony from the Chateau Lake Louise—even fuel for the cook stoves is transported in this way.

In addition to the tea room there is an attractive assortment of antiques from various parts of the globe, collected during the winter months by Miss Dodds, who usually goes abroad.

There are many surprises of scenic beauty along the trail to the tea room, but perhaps the most interesting fact is that one can obtain a delicious cup of English tea, with equally delicious home cooking within sight and sound of whistling marmots and squirrels and chipmunks that leap from bough to bough, and often within sight of friendly bears who come close to the kitchen door in search of tasty food.

One of the most interesting trips at Lake Louise is by a narrow, winding path on Mount Fairview to Sadd-leback Tea Room and Rest House, which is 2,500 feet higher than the Chateau. This quaint little log cabin, situated on Mount Fairview, overlooks Saddleback Mountain, so called because of its rock formation being similar to a saddle. It takes almost two hours by pony to make the trip over a steep zigzag trail, from which can be seen winding streams and rushing brooks thousands of feet below.

This tea room and rest house, like "Beehive," is owned by Miss Dodds and operated by Miss A. E. Whyman. Its surroundings are most artistic and restful. The view of Paradise Valley and Mount Temple from the tea house is one of the finest in the Rockies.

Daily supplies of food and fuel are transported by pack ponies from the Chateau to serve approximately 25 guests a day, who are well rewarded for their journey to the "highest tea house in Canada."

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FEEL OPTIMISM AS TO OUTLOOK FOR FARMERS

Federal and Provincial Ministers of Agriculture Deliver Addresses

A brand of conservative optimism regarding the outlook for agriculture that was all the more convincing because it was conservative, was dispensed by the Federal and Provincial Ministers of Agriculture in addresses delivered to a gathering of representatives of the farm press at the King Edward Hotel, Toronto. The two ministers, Hon. W. R. Motherwell and Hon. John S. Martin, were the guests of honor at a banquet given by the newspapermen.

Mr. Motherwell's optimism was with respect to the near future rather than the immediate pesent, although he found even in the present admittedly adverse conditions substantial cause for justifiable cheerfulness. Mr. Martin, perhaps because he had regard mainly for the more favored province of Ontario, was able to go further and assert that even at the present time there were many farmers who were making money—not much, perhaps, but still a nice balance on the right side of the ledger.

Regarding the future, both speakers based their expectations of material improvement in conditions on a general improvement in the quality of farm products. Mr. Martin declared emphatically that even today there was a good market for quality goods, live stock, poultry, dairy products, etc. He endorsed Mr. Motherwell's view that a high and uniform standard of quality would find markets for Canadian goods in competition with the rest of the world.

In beginning his discussion of the agricultural situation, Mr. Motherwell observed that the farmers of Canada had improved their standard of living to a point where the present revenues would not suffice. There were three remedies that presented themselves. One was to further lessen the cost of production, which was not easy. Another was to reduce the standard of living, which no one desired to see take place.

"There is another way," he went on, "and that is to improve our methods. That is the only way we can solve our difficulties. If we are going to 'sport' a $3,000 auto, then we cannot do it on a 3,000-pound cow. The average cow in Canada at the present time produces only 4,000 pounds of milk. We must get away from these 4,000-lb cows."

One of the big difficulties at the present time, he continued, was the predisposition to "exclusive farming"—all wheat in the West; fruit, etc., here. Another trouble was unwisely used credit. If the cases of farmers in difficulties financially at present were traced back, it would be found in five cases out of ten that it was due to having gone injudicially into debt, he declared. The old plan, "Pay as far as you go, and if you can't pay, don't go," was safest, he commented. "Start small and work up with your business' was another bit of advice he gave.

Revenues could be increased most surely, the Minister felt, by improvement of quality. This could be achieved by improvement of methods and working out a plan of production on a basis of quality. Another step that must be taken, particularly in the West, was a diversification of farming.

Cause for Optimism

Turning to the present and future outlook, Mr. Motherwell declared there were many reasons for justifiable optimism. One was the fact that, although only forty years ago Canada exported no wheat, to-day she was the largest wheat exporter in the world. The improvement in revenues on the National Railways was evidence of the general betterment of conditions. With improvement in the quality of farm products, he was confident for the future of agriculture.

Mr. Motherwell mentioned his desire to arrange for a better dissemination of the non-political information as to the work of his Department and he invited suggestions as to the best means of placing this at the disposal of the press, particularly those serving the farmers, could be improved.

Mr. Martin's Address

Hon. Mr. Martin heartily endorsed the Federal Minister's remarks regarding the benefits to be secured through improving the quality of farm products. Another thing needed was to get the Canadian goods better known. In this respect he spoke of the value of advertising, but emphasized that it must be done judiciously, lest the expense incurred be out of proportion to the goods the farmer is in a position to produce.

He believed that if Canada could get her live stock on the American market it would revolutionize the present farming situation. There were breeders in Canada, he said, who were producing as good live stock as were produced anywhere, and he felt the American farmers wanted these animals. With a view to making Canadian live stock still better known in the United States, the Ontario Department of Agriculture was sending a five-carload exhibit to the coming National Dairy Show in Chicago.

Mr. Martin strongly urged the importance of poultry as a revenue producer on the farm. At the same time he warned that the flocks must be given proper attention or they become a liability instead of an asset. He stressed the need for regular culling out of the non-producing hens. Splendid work was being done in this respect and in standardizing the sale of eggs at the present time.

The main difficulty with present agricultural conditions appeared to be that the prices of much that the farmer had to buy had not come down in proportion to the drop in prices of farm products. Mr. Martin voiced the belief that manufacturers should exercise closer supervision of the prices charged for the goods they produced by the dealers, some of whom, the Minister feared, occasionally "forgot that the war was over."

Relieve Labor Shortage

The most immediate thing his Department could do for the Ontario farmer, Mr. Martin continued, was to give him help. That was now being actively undertaken, and he hoped to have a plentiful supply of farm help here by spring.

As a whole, he said in conclusion, Ontario farmers were not going behind. Some were not making the money they should, but some were making money nevertheless. These were the men who were producing the quality stuff. He cited the cases of apples and the great improvement wrought in Norfolk County apple production by the energetic methods of the Norfolk Apple Growers' Co-operative Association. That the situation generally was improving, he was convinced.



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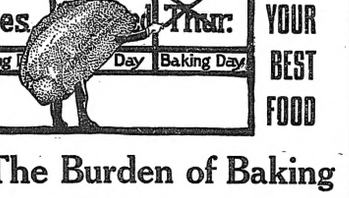
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Dublin, September 20.—The opening sitting of the new Dail Eirreann was an uneventful one, aside from one exciting incident. This was when the farmers' party, representing the opposition in the absence of all the Republican deputies, sought unsuccessfully to induce the government to liberate imprisoned republican members of the chamber so as to enable the republican party to hold a meeting and discuss its future policy. This proposal provoked brief debate, which showed that the government had not the slightest intention to recede from its previous attitude toward the republicans.

As was anticipated, Mr. Cosgrave was re-elected president of the executive council of the Irish free state by acclamation, and Michael Hayes was unanimously chosen speaker. Mr. Cosgrave was the recipient of a great ovation on his election. All members of the house stood and cheered him.

Independents With Government

About one hundred members of the Dail attended the opening sitting. In general appearance the chamber differed little from the preceding Dail. The independents sat together in the centre. Prominent among them were Captain Wm. Redmond and Major Bryan Cooper, both former members of the Westminster parliament. As the Independents generally approve of the government's policy, there is a tendency toward fusion, and already two prominent Cork members of the group, Richard Beanish, and A. O. Shaughnessy, have joined the official government party. A conspicuous gap in the labor benches showed the defeat suffered by the laborites in the last election. In the last Dail, labor acted as the official opposition, but now the farmers are more numerous and hope to play that role.

People Admitted

The noteworthy difference in Wednesday's session from the last sessions of the Dail was the admission of people to the public gallery. This was crowded with men and women who had to be called to order by the speaker for indulging in applause.

Deputy Gorey, leader of the farmers party, in urging the liberation of De Valera and other republicans under arrest argued that 44 republicans had been elected to the Dail by the people, and that they should at least be given the opportunity to meet together in order to determine whether they would obey the rule of the majority and adopt constitutional methods. Mr. Wilson, also a farmer, in seconding Mr. Gorey's resolution, contended that it was desirable for the 44 deputies to be in a position to advise the other 12,000 republican prisoners. He declared that their release might facilitate an undertaking to enable a general release of prisoners.

Not the Proper Time

Minister of Agriculture Hogan replied that it had cost £18,000,000 and the lives of many gallant men, including Michael Collins, to jail these prisoners, and argued against release.

Then Mr. Cosgrave spoke. In quiet tones he began by saying that the present was not the proper time to raise such a question. He also revealed the fact that the government was aware of the midnight visits by Republicans to certain members of the Dail to secure release of the prisoners and the question of the abolition of the oath raised in the chamber.

Eighteen Members in Jail

With increasing warmth the president declared that the government would not yield to sentimentalism in favor of men who had done their utmost and failed and now hoped for positions as generals or presidents. He pointed out that there were only 18 members of the 44 members of the Dail in jail, and asked what the others are doing. He added that there must be evidence of a real change of heart on the part of the Republicans before the government would change its tactics.

It was evident that Mr. Cosgrave had the house with him, and no division was requested.

The house adjourned without further incident. It will reassemble at 3 o'clock this afternoon, when the president will nominate his cabinet and a committee will be elected to choose ministers, not members of the cabinet, who will be directly responsible to the house.

EXAMINER'S REVIEW OF PROVINCIAL MARKETS

Calgary, September 20.

Cattle—

Beef—Calgary market steady during week, choice heavy and light steers, $4.50 to $5; with a top of $5.60 on one heavy load; good, $3.75 to $4.50; medium, $3.25 to $3.75; common, $2 to $3. Choice cows firmer, $3.35 to $3.60; good, $2.75 to $3.25; medium, $2.25 to $2.75; common, $1.50 to $2; canners, 50c to $1.25. Choice heifers up to $4.50. Bulls unchanged with tops at $2; others $1.25 to $1.75. Calves about steady, choice $5 to $5.75; plain, $2 to $4.50. Feeders, Stockers—Good feeders, $4 to $4.25, with a top of $4.50; stocker steers, $3 to $4. Stock heifers, $2.25 to $2.75; stock cows, $1.50 to $2.50.

Beef—Heavier receipts at Edmonton, but a good market held, choice heavy steers make up to $5; good, $3.50 to $4.50; medium, $3 to $3.50; common down to $2. Choice heifers up to $3.75; plain down to $2.75. Choice cows, $2.75 to $3.25; good, $2.25 to $2.75; medium, $1.75 to $2.25; common and canners, $1 to $1.75. Bulls unchanged with top of $2; others $1 to $1.50. Choice calves up to $5.50; plain heavy ones, $2 to $3. Feeders, Stockers—Strong demand for choice deborned feeders, up to $4.50, with general sales $4 to $4.25, plain ones down to $2; stocker steers $1.50 to $3.50. Stocker heifers $1.50 to $2.75; cows, $1.25 to $2.25.

Hogs—

Fall hogs not coming yet and receipts light. Calgary prices from $11 to $11.25 during week. Today's sales, thick smooth, $11 to $11.35.

Edmonton hog market good, with thick smooths advanced during week to $11, off feed; 10 percent. premium on bacon.

Sheep—

Arrivals light at Calgary and some lambs make $11, other good ones $10.50, feeder lambs $8.50 each; stock ewes $7.50 each.

Choice lambs bring up to $10.25 at Edmonton, with others down to $9; yearlings, $7.50 to $9; mutton ewes, $6 to $7; breeding ewes, $4 to $5.

Grain—

Premiums on cash wheat are down badly since last issue, owing to the new crop coming in. Prices are showing some fluctuation, and apparently trading will settle down fairly soon. There is some of the new crop being taken for export, but they are not eager buyers. Alberta's big crop is being harvested in good condition, though work has been held up by rain during the past few days.

Butterfat—Butter—Cheese—

Creamery Butter—All prices up; car lots, basis specials, 34 to 34½c; cartons, No. 1, 40c, No. 2, 36c; prints, No. 1, 39c, No. 2, 35c. Dairy Butter—Due to advance. Butterfat—All grades up; special, 31c; No. 1, 29c; No. 2, 26c; off grade, 21c. Cheese—Up 3c, stilton 25c; twins, 23c.

Eggs—Poultry—

Eggs—Unchanged, on basis of 23c to 35c on extras, but few of this grade coming. Poultry—Receipts light, prices unchanged, chickens, 14c to 16c; fowl, 8c to 10c.

Hay—

Demand still very slow; some very cheap hay offered, but selling levels unchanged.

Hides—

Market unchanged; some packer hides sold in Chicago but country branded hides not in demand.

Furs—

New York sale coming on soon will establish prices which will likely rule for buying during fall season.

Wool—

British wool auctions have not changed values on this side and local dealers quote fine wool at 20c and coarse down to 16c.

The Pacific Mail Liner Cuba, which went ashore on a reef off San Miguel Island, Calif., has been abandoned as a total loss. The loss amounts to $400,000.

The United States destroyer McFarland was rammed in the bow by a battleship in manoeuvres off the coast of Mass., but the damage was slight.

It is reported that the Japanese government in Tokio proposes to float a billion dollar loan to finance reconstruction.

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Arrive Sylvan Lake	13:18
Arrive Eckville	14:02
Arrive Lesliieville	14:37
Arrive R. M. House	15:20
Leave R. M. House	15:30
Horburg	16:35
Lamoral	17:09
Saunders	18:01
Stolberg	18:21
Harlech	18:46
Arrive Brazeau	19:15

Train 212, Eastbound, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday—

Leave Brazeau	7:00k
Harlech	7:26
Stolberg	7:47
Saunders	8:05
Lamoral	8:54
Horburg	9:30
Arrive R. M. House	10:30
Leave R. M. House	11:00
Lesliieville	11:55
Eckville	12:35
Sylvan Lake	14:00
Arrive Red Deer	15:20
Leave Red Deer	15:35
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No. 523	11:40 a.m.	11:50 a.m.

Southbound:

Daily—		
No. 526	3:25 a.m.	3:30 a.m.
No. 522	10:45 a.m.	10:55 a.m.

Daily except Sundays—

No. 524	3:30 p.m.	3:35 p.m.

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THE KING GOVERNMENT AND THE STATES

In his speech made at the dinner given in his honour the other day in Montreal, Mr. Hughes, the American Secretary of State, made two very important statements. He professed to be speaking quite unofficially, as an individual, but that is really impossible in the case of a man holding such a position, especially so careful and judicious a man as Mr. Hughes. One of the statements was an allusion to a new trade agreement shortly to be arranged between Canada and the States. There can be little or no doubt that this refers to a revival of the reciprocity agreement so decisively rejected by Canada when the people had a chance to vote on it as a clear election issue in 1911.

The King government has been careful not to give any undue prominence to its intention to revive this agreement. There have been allusions to it in speeches both at election times and in parliament, and certain powers have been taken or given to ministers with regard to it, but the impression given to the public, no doubt designedly, was that reciprocity was a thing approved of and desired by the Liberal government and party, but not immediately to be taken in hand. Apparently this impression is wrong and that negotiations are on foot already with a view to reciprocity. There is nothing very surprising in this, nor is there any need to be indignant about a policy of "reciprocity by stealth." Politicians are not the only people who try to do quietly and without undue publicity something that they know they would not be allowed to do if full attention was directed to it. On the other hand it is highly desirable that those who still hold with respect to reciprocity the same views that they held in 1911 should note the remarks of Mr. Hughes, should see that they receive all due publicity, and that any steps desirable and possible should be taken with regard to the Liberal government's policy.

The other statement of Mr. Hughes was the foreshadowing of a completely new arbitration agreement between Canada and the States, involving a new tribunal composed of Canadians and Americans, to carry out the agreement. As there is already in existence an arbitration treaty between the British Empire and the States, the need for this new agreement does not closely appear. Further, one would have expected in Mr. Hughes' speech to find some reference to the association of nations of which Canada is a partner, that is, to the British Empire. There was no such reference with respect to the proposed agreement. It seemed almost pointedly to ignore any reference to the Empire or Great Britain and refer to Canada and the States as if they were entirely separate and detached nationalities with no other ties or affiliations of any kind. Again, as already suggested, it is well to remember that Mr. Hughes is not a reckless or unconsidering speaker. It is difficult not to believe that this speech is one more indication of the tendency already shown in the Fisheries Treaty by the King government—the tendency to assert just as crudely as is safe, the autonomy, independence or separation of Canada from the Empire. To make this claim or avow this feeling in so many words would be unwise from the Liberal standpoint. It would be more than unwise. It might even be unsafe. Therefore, as in the case of reciprocity, the claim is made indirectly, and by devious ways, by the assertion of nationhood, autonomy, full partnership, of everything except the real plain intention and wish of the King government, whose head was so particularly employed through American service during the late war.

Again, as in the case of reciprocity, there is no need to be indignant about this policy. Those who wish to leave the Empire certainly have the right to make their wishes known and try to realize them. Equally, those who do not intend to leave the Empire will retain the right to take such measures as they see fit to prevent Canada being taken out of the Empire and handed over by stealth or otherwise as an inferior appanage of the United States.

THE PROBLEM OF THE HOLD-UP

We still read every now and then of wholesale hold-ups in the States and very occasionally in Canada in which two or three armed men terrorise and rob large numbers of people and get away unharmed, for the time being at any rate. The hotel hold-up in Detroit last month is a notable instance of this. There some five men held up a whole dining room full of people and despoiled them of their possessions at leisure before departing in a motor car.

Such incidents always create a feeling of wonder as to how or why so large a body of people allow themselves to be so terrorised and robbed by so few bandits, and do not apparently make any attempt at resistance. Even allowing for the fact that the robbers are armed and their victims are rarely so, even if they got a chance to reach their weapons, still one is inclined to wonder whether a judicious kick or a bold rush at an opportune moment might not upset the whole scheme of the robbers and start a fight in which overwhelming numbers would inevitably win the day. Those who took part in the late war or indeed in any war know how it was possible to face storms of bullets at times and escape either untouched or with very minor injuries. Yet there are comparatively few cases where active resistance is at once offered to the hold-up men.

It seems to be a case of the overwhelming advantage possessed by the man or men who knows or know their own mind and are definitely determined to carry out a set plan, over a number of men who do not so know their own minds, are taken at a disadvantage, and have no recognized leader among them. The sheep instinct of waiting for a lead and then following it more or less blindly is still strong among men and women. The man of initiative in an emergency is a rare person. It is on this fact that the originators of the hold-up usually seem to count with success.

The same human characteristic was seen repeatedly in the war in the surrender of comparatively large bodies of men to a few resolute attackers who knew what they were after and what the surrounding situation was. An even more notable instance of it is seen in the present Bolshevist government of Russia which is simply a gigantic hold-up of a nation by a small but ruthlessly cruel and determined gang. It is sometimes said by people who wonder at the success of the Bolshevist terrorism: "Why does not someone assassinate Lenin or Trotsky?" It is in that word "Someone" that the explanation lies. As long as anything is left to "Someone," it will not be done. There are very, very few Charlotte Cordays known to history.

The solution of the hold-up problem is a good police system with the backing of public opinion and an efficient criminal law behind it. The difference in the situation which existed on the Canadian side of the line at Windsor-Detroit in the gold rush days to that which prevailed on the American side is an excellent illustration of this. It is because the United States has neither an efficient police system nor a good criminal law behind it that hold-ups are frequent there, and it is because we have these great advantages that Canada sees few hold-ups. There is no reason to believe that without the help of the police the public will ever be able to cope with the hold-up men, since the initiative and purpose lies with the latter. The general public need active leadership to enable them to counter the danger.

THE OMINOUS SIGNIFICANCE OF THE AUTOMOBILE

One of the great colonial governors of Great Britain once called the banana "the curse of Central Africa," and explained his remark by saying that because of the banana the natives of Central Africa were able to live without doing any work whatever, and were therefore thoroughly lazy and demoralized. An Eastern Canadian business man, with a very wide and intimate knowledge of business conditions in Canada, describes the automobile as the curse of both Canada and the States. In his view the enormous number of automobiles in use all over both these countries represent an almost incalculable waste of capital, direct or indirect. The money immediately sunk in them, and the money and time wasted in running them and spent as a result of them, are, in his opinion, far too much for the welfare of the country. Moreover, the passion for possessing a car, and the way in which the manufacturers pander to that passion by the terms of sale, lead to people of all classes buying cars who cannot afford them, and in order so to buy and run their cars neglecting the payment of legitimate debts and shaking their whole economic position. The car bought on time is almost as much of an evil with us as betting on horse races is in Great Britain. Sooner or later there will come a crash, and the crash will be a bad one.

Human nature being what it is, we are inclined to be mainly occupied with our own immediate troubles to the neglect of other people's. With us the difficulties of the farming industry, and the reaction of those difficulties on the whole business world of the West, have been absorbing our attention. It appears that the Western farmers are not the only people with business worries. The manufacturers and business people of Eastern Canada are having anything but a prosperous time, and the number of businesses which are making little or no profit, or even working at a loss, is apparently considerable. The explanation appears to be too little production of essentials, too much production of non-essentials and too many middlemen. In the case of many businesses grossly excessive overhead charges for management are responsible for a bad position. The whole fabric of the business world needs over-hauling. We of Western Canada, with our great production of food and fuel, are probably in as essentially sound and safe a position as any portion of the world. Whatever happens elsewhere, we can live. If the fool's paradise of the great cities in the States and Eastern Canada is shaken into ruin as suddenly as the cities of Japan have been shaken into ruin by earthquakes, we shall still be able to hold our own, and it will be to Western Canada and other really productive areas that the world will have to look for safety. We may, therefore, be in no hurry to envy and grumble at the manufacturing East. If we go quietly and sensibly on with our own work, improving our business methods to the utmost of our ability by means of wheat pools or otherwise, but always putting our faith in the last resort in honest work, we need have no fear that we shall find ourselves left in the end with nothing in our possession but a host of derelict and highly inedible mortgaged automobiles.

EDITORIAL NOTES

Action is being taken to get the rink for skating completed for this year. This is a thing that we have been advocating for a number of years. There is no other sport that is so good, clean and healthful for the young, growing boy or girl as skating. We have four or five months of ice in Red Deer as in other western points, and the rink will furnish the best possible means of recreation. It is much more important than adding to our present road system.

Unless the wheat pool can start to function within the next two weeks it had better remain as it is until next year. At this time of year it is not well to have the farmers and also the buyers in doubt as to what is going to be done. The buyer will not as a rule take any chance of losing, and the depreciation in prices arising from the uncertainty will all be borne by the farmer.

It is regrettable that the Veterans did not have better success financially with the Stampede. The committee went into it with great enthusiasm and worked indefatigably, but they found it a stupendous undertaking. They got splendid support from the city, but they lost considerable money because, apart from a few men who gave all their time for the three days, the members of the association did not turn out to lend a hand. Many members of the G.W.V.A. were present at the grounds and did not do one stroke of work.

McKenzie King in a recent speech criticizes the government of the Dominion during the war period because they did not bring a direct levy into force. We agree that it would have been a very fine thing to have had such a direct levy of money and also of men. In such case King himself might have got over.

In very short time the orders for Alberta coal with the Ontario government exceeded the 10,000 tons which the C.N.R. agreed to carry at $7.00 per ton. Apparently the freight rate is the only thing that is preventing a very real development in the eastern market for Alberta coal.

The Edmonton City Commissioners are advocating a campaign of passive resistance towards the Provincial government. They propose that the cities refuse to pay over to the Provincial treasurer the supplementary revenue taxes, until the government fulfil their promises to the municipalities with regard to taxation. We think their suggestions are absurd, but agree with them that something must be done at once. What is the matter with the direct legislation act?

BOARD OF TRADE

The regular meeting of the Board of Trade was held in the Council chambers on Monday night, Sept. 17. President Hogg was in the chair, and those present were Secretary Stephenson, Mayor Collison, and Messrs. Welliver, Brazier, Willson, Fowler, Botterill, Greig, Gunn, Davies, Muir, Turnbull, Fleming, Kent, Trimble and Carswell.

Correspondence

After adoption of minutes of the previous meeting, the secretary read a number of letters from various people asking information of Red Deer and district and his replies thereto. These were filed.

The request from the magazine "Canada" for the city to advertise in its columns was filed.

The Deputy Minister of Public Works advised by letter that as no appropriation had been made at last session, no work would be done on the road from Rocky Mountain House to Nordegg. He expected, however, that the land would be looked over and the road constructed in the near future.

The Canada Colonization Association wrote that a meeting is to be held in Saskatoon of those interested in retaining in Canada the men who have come in for this year's harvest. The Secretary will advise them that we are in favor of anything that will tend to keep these men here, but that we cannot have a representative at the meeting.

The Division Freight Agent, C. N. R., advised that they cannot build stockyards in Red Deer as requested. The city will not permit the erection of yards between the bridge and the present end of the line, and it would be necessary to extend the line a further 1000 yards before a suitable site could be obtained. The matter was referred to the railway committee of the Board to look into at greater length.

The Polar Aerated Waters Co. wrote with reference to a site for a factory in Red Deer. The Secretary had advised them of the advantages of the city as a site, and the matter can be taken up with them at greater length if they so desire.

Secretary's Report.

The Secretary read his report.

The President and Members,

Red Deer Board of Trade.

Dear Sirs:—I beg to report as follows on the work done since the last meeting as follows:—

Stocking Sylvan and Pine Lakes With Game Fish

In response to the Board's invitation Mr. Rodd, superintendent of Fish Hatcheries at Banff, visited Red Deer from September 7 to 12. He was given all possible data on the lakes, and a large number of photos. Dr. McCreight kindly took him to Pine Lake and spent the day with him there inspecting the lake. Geo. Fleming took him to Sylvan Lake, and he stayed there the following day to complete his inspection, the Village supplying a motor launch for his use and looking after him there. The deepest water he found in Sylvan Lake was 60 feet, and in Pine Lake 45 feet. This is not deep enough for lake trout. It is likely that he will recommend black bass for Pine Lake and rainbow trout for Sylvan Lake. We assured him that any expense connected with the stocking of the lakes would be provided. He recommended the placing of a fish screen at the outlet of Sylvan Lake in the spring to prevent jack fish going down into Burnt Lake where they die, and he stated that the Village would undertake to install this screen.

Auto Camping Ground

This camp has been used by many tourists this summer, who were all well pleased with the accommodation provided. The city had the camping ground cleaned up, brush cut, woodshed built and toilets moved to a more accessible place. For next summer a few electric lights through the park would greatly improve it for campers, and possibly some cheap laundry tubs could be supplied for washing clothes. The camp is well advertised among the tourists but there should be more signboards along the trails giving the distance to the camp.

Canada Colonization Company

I sent for some lists of lands advertised for sale by this Company, and was surprised to find that no lands close to Red Deer were listed with them. As this Company is co-operating with the railroads and the Dominion Government to bring in settlers, it appears that there should be an agent of the Company in Red Deer.

Pamphlets

There is a sufficient supply of these giving information of the Red Deer district to last for some time. These have been sent to government and railway agents in the United States for distribution. It might be well to have some pamphlets similar to the Sylvan Lake pamphlet prepared during the winter, advertising the city as a centre for auto camping tours to Rocky Mountain House and west of there, Sylvan Lake, Gull Lake and Pine Lake, and as a centre for summer picnics. For this latter purpose the auto camping ground in Waskasoo Park with cook shed, tables, benches, swings, etc., and with the Exhibition grounds adjoining for speeches and sports, is ideal, and we might work up a number of picnics from outside if they knew of the advantages we have in Red Deer.

Inquiries

All enquiries have been attended to promptly.

Respectfully submitted,
A. T. STEPHENSON,
Secretary-Treasurer.

Considerable discussion followed, especially with regard to the fish question. All the members feel that game fish in the lakes would make them much more attractive. The Secretary was commended for his actions and interest in the matters covered by the report.

H. W. Trimble had as his guest at the meeting Mr. Stamp, who has been working with him of late. He is a University man, who has been in government work connected with dairying. He spoke briefly, paying tribute to the high standing that Mr. Trimble is gaining as a butter maker and as a manufacturer of ice cream. On being asked for a few figures, Mr. Trimble stated that this year he would make about 300,000 lbs. of butter and that he paid out to farmers for cream an average of $2,000.00 each week in the year. The business was better than last year, although then the Bowden plant shipped here also. His ice cream sale was also bigger than last year.

Mayor Collison referred briefly to the fact that at the nomination day recently for Aldermen, no nominations had been received to fill a vacancy on the Council. He felt very deeply in the matter. A few men were left to bear all the load of administration when so much help was needed. The Board of Trade should represent the leading business men of the city and should be the body that had most interest in city administration.



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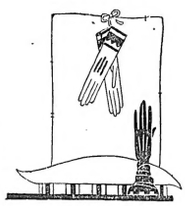
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RE-OPENING OF THE OLDS SCHOOL OF AGRICULTURE

To those interested in agriculture and agricultural education, the work accomplished by the Provincial School of Agriculture at Olds since its inception some ten years ago, is worthy of more than passing note. An average yearly attendance of one hundred and thirty-eight students has been recorded, giving a total of over twelve hundred men and women receiving an education of inestimable value to themselves and the community in which they reside.

On October 30th next, the doors of the Olds school will swing open to receive students for the tenth term. There is every prospect of the average enrolment being maintained, if not surpassed. While the present season has, owing to low prices, been somewhat unfavorable to the farmer, reflection on the fact that only by scientific and specialized practical training in the problems of production and marketing can the farm be made to show a profit under adversity, will result in many a man sending his son or daughter to obtain the education afforded by the Province through the School of Agriculture, Olds.

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The Home Economics course offers in the first year instruction in Cooking, Chemistry, English, Foods, Nursing, Horticulture, Household Administration, Laundry, Mathematics, Physical Culture, Poultry, Sanitation, Sewing and Textiles. The second year of the course finds Bacteriology, Clothing and Design, Dairying and Dietetics added.

The school calendar and other information is available for all those interested in the courses, and may be obtained on application to the Principal. Those who contemplate enrolling would do well to write the school and receive application forms at an early date.



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SOLDIER SETTLERS HAVE GOOD CROPS ON THEIR FARMS

Returned soldier farmers in the province of Alberta are in almost every instance harvesting good crops, according to W. S. Woods, superintendent of the Soldier Land Settlement Board. Calgary district, who returned recently from an inspection tour of the district. Mr. Wood's trip took him as far north as Ponoka, south to the Montana boundary, east to Saskatchewan and west to the British Columbia border.

"With very few exceptions, the soldier farmers have had good crops this year, more especially in the south. They are optimistic, and are looking forward to an equally good crop next year," Mr. Wood said. When asked concerning the proposal to bring settlers out from Britain and settle them on farms under the soldier land settlement act, Mr. Woods said that he had not received any instructions yet from Ottawa. "I read in the paper the other day that the Land Settlement Act will be administered under the immigration department, but I have received no official notification of it yet, neither have I received any further information concerning the broadening out of the board's policies with respect to the Old Country immigration."

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TWENTY-EIGHT GOLD EAGLES

By C. A. Stephens.

The first settlers of Maine found plenty of salmon both in the Kennebec and Penobscot rivers. During the spring and early summer vast schools of them came up from the sea. The old squire has told me that in his young days he used to drive across country to the "Forks" of the Kennebec for a load of salmon which afforded the whole neighborhood a very agreeable change from the ordinary winter fare. A young neighbor, Jonathan Edwards, went with him. They hitched to strong, long-legged horses that they owned, one ahead of the other, to a thorough-brace wagon with the sides boxed up so as to hold eight or ten hundredweight of fish.

They did not have to angle for the salmon. Their fishing outfit consisted merely of a four-pronged fork and a bushel basket. At the water of Salmon Stream, a tributary of Kennebec, fell in May the pools at the foot of shallow rapids would be packed with salmon that were unable to ascend the stream farther. While Jock would enter the foot of a pool and beat about with a pole to keep the fish from escaping downstream Joe would wade into the water with a fork and throw the fish out on the bank. Though it sounds like a "fish story," the old squire has told me that sometimes and at some pools he could throw out enough salmon in half an hour to fill the wagon!

While the salmon were running, bears were numerous at the Forks. All the bears of the surrounding wilderness seemed to congregate there to feast off the fish. By stealing up quietly at any of the pools, a hunter could easily get a shot at them. At that season, however, a bearskin was not worth much; nor was their flesh in favor so soon after they had left their winter dens.

For six or seven successive years with the same two horses hitched tandem—Jack and Jill, they called them—the two boys, Joe and Jock, made the trip for salmon. Two days were required for the drive over to the Forks, and the same number was required for the return. Only once did the boys have any trouble or anything like a serious adventure, and that was on the last trip that they made. Then they brought back no salmon, and indeed had to walk home.

The time was the period of the famous northeastern boundary controversy between the United States and Great Britain, a dispute that had been going on for several years. When Andrew Jackson was president for a wonder the warlike old penman was in favor of accepting the decision of the King of the Netherlands, who had been appointed as arbitrator, and of relinquishing a large slice of Maine territory to New Brunswick. But the people stood out against the decision. The legislature voted a war credit of eight hundred thousand dollars and ordered a draft of ten thousand men from the militia to defend the frontier. Volunteers also were numerous, for the war spirit was rampant. People talked freely of a force of fifty thousand men.

Meanwhile the heads of government both at Washington and at London were doing what they could to calm the tempest and arrange a peaceful settlement. Both sides appointed agents and commissioners to proceed to the region in dispute and investigate the opposing claims and determine where the boundary ought to be as stated in the treaty of 1783. The difficulty was that the makers of the treaty had known almost nothing of the country described in it and had made use of terms liable to be misunderstanding.

The President finally sent Winfield Scott to take command of the military forces in Maine and if possible to act as mediator. Soon afterwards the two countries effected a settlement and averted bloodshed.

It was while the boundary dispute was at its height that the then young old squire and his neighbor Jock made their last trip to the Forks for salmon. They had filled their wagon and had shot a bear, which they had loaded on top of the load, and while Jack and Jill trotted smartly down the river road toward Waterville, were on their way home, when at a roadside tavern they fell in with an official party consisting of a government land agent and two assistants, who were travelling with great haste to the Aroostook region. At the tavern there was also a sheriff and his posse who had come along in pursuit of a man who had shot a neighbor in a dispute over a line fence.

With the agent, whose name the boys heard was Greenlaw, was a recruiting sergeant who was enlisting river drivers for the expected war on the eastern frontier. Eighteen of the wild, rough fellows had just come down the Kennebec, and all were ready-to-whoop to fight the redcoats. Others also were joining the party, and there were more men than the teams could carry; the agent was making efforts to purchase horses. Noticing that Jack and Jill were good roadsters, he promptly asked the boys to sell them.

"No, sir-ee," Jock replied with promptness. "We have seventy miles to go. How would we get home with our load of salmon?"

"I will give you two hundred dollars for those horses," the agent replied. "I am in a great hurry to get on from here. I will buy your wagon and the fish and that bear too."

Now from thirty to forty dollars was the price of a likely young horse at that time; and Jack and Jill were twelve or thirteen years old. Therefore when Greenlaw offered thirty dollars for the wagon, thirty more for the salmon and the bear and ten dollars apiece for the harnesses the boys were a good deal astounded.

"I guess it's government money all right," Joe whispered, "or he wouldn't be so mighty flush with it."

They accepted the agent's offer, and he made out a bill of sale for them to sign and then paid them in new, bright gold eagles,—twenty-eight of them,—the first gold money that the boys had ever seen. They had to read the words "ten dollars" on the coins before they really knew what they were.

The tavern keeper and his wife stood looking on. "Oh, ain't those pretty!" the woman exclaimed.

The boys tied the gold in Joe's pocket handkerchief and put it at the bottom of his inside coat pocket.

"You are rich!" the tavern keeper's wife said and laughed. "See that you don't let any of those river drivers get that away from you. They are a rough gang."

The advice seemed good. The river drivers, several of whom were intoxicated, were roistering about the place. They had taken the bear from the load and, setting the carcass astride a pole, began to race up and down with it, thrusting it in at the tavern door, whooping like Indians and making a great uproar.

Though the land agent and the sheriff had asked for lodging in the tavern, Jock and Joe determined to walk on after supper. There was a bright, full moon just rising, and they hoped to get as far as Waterville. They did not at all like the noisy, drunken crowd at the tavern.

While the boys were at supper, however, the landlord's wife came and whispered to them that she had saved a room for them. "I'm going to put you in my best room," she said. "It's the one next my own. You will be safe and comfortable there."

She sat down beside them while they ate, and talked constantly about herself and her husband and her little boy, Sim, whom she called to show to them. "Sim is just getting over the whooping cough," she said. "He still whoops like an Injun every morning. Show them how you can whoop, Sim." Whereupon the little fellow stood off and began to whoop and cough till he almost lost his breath altogether.

The boys set the woman down as queer and loquacious, but nevertheless they decided to pass the night at the tavern. In the course of an hour or so they retired to the room that she had assigned to them, and Joe hung his coat with the gold in it on the bedpost close beside his pillow. Although there was no lock on the door, he thought that the money would be safe enough there. Few house doors had locks in those days. Despite the racket that was going on outside Joe and Jock soon fell asleep.

They slept soundly, but a while after midnight Jock, who was on the far side of the bed, wakened suddenly. He thought he had heard some one in the room. The night was quiet, and the moonlight was shining brightly in the window. He peeped over Joe, who was snoring comfortably, and saw some one standing close beside the bed. It was a woman, the tavern keeper's wife! For a few moments she stood there, then she stole out.

Suddenly Jock thought of the gold. He slid out of bed and, going on tiptoe round to the opposite side, felt in Joe's coat pocket. The gold was gone! He hastened to the door and looked out. The light of a candle was shining through a crack in the door of the next room. He went softly to the door and peeped in at the crack. The woman was crouched on the brick hearth of a fireplace beside which she had set the candle. Jock was only a boy and so did not open the door and speak to her, as he should have done: instead he tiptoed back and waked Joe.

When Joe had searched his pocket he was as confused and nonplussed as Jock. They stole softly out to peep through the crack of the door together, but by that time the light had disappeared.

Older and more experienced men no doubt would have made a stir at once. But Jock and Joe felt reluctant to raise an alarm. It was hard for them to believe that the tavern keeper's wife, who had seemed so kind and friendly, had really stolen their money. They sat on the side of the bed, whispering about the matter in great anxiety until daybreak, when they began to hear people stirring in the house. Then they went out, and as soon as Greenlaw appeared they told him of their loss and of what Jock had seen.

The agent was incredulous at first, but, after hearing the particulars and going to see how the rooms were situated, he began to believe that the tavern keeper's wife was the culprit. "I thought she looked like a queer piece," he said. "We shall inform the sheriff, and then we'll talk with her husband and see if he knows anything about it. I don't believe he does," the agent added. "He seems like a rather good sort of man."

They found the tavern keeper at the barn and told him that they suspected his wife of stealing. The man did not appear so indignant or surprised as they had expected he would. He listened without speaking to all that they had to say. Then, "It may be that she took it," he replied, and he admitted that she had taken things before. "I don't think she can help it," he said. "But come into the house, and we shall see what we can find out."

They went to the room where Jock had seen the woman with the candle; it proved to be the room in which the tavern keeper and his wife slept. The woman herself was in the kitchen at the time. After glancing about, her husband called her. She rushed in, looking a good deal flurried. First her husband, and then the sheriff, bade her give up the money that she had stolen from the boys. "They saw you take it," she sheriff added sternly. "No use for you to deny it."

But deny it the woman did most vehemently and tearfully. "I never touched it!" she cried. "It was some of those river drivers!"

"You may as well own up," said the sheriff. "Tell us where it is."

"Yes, Phoney, you had better tell us where you put it," the tavern keeper said to her in a sober tone.

Still she stoutly denied any knowledge of the money.

But another much-interested spectator had now joined the group—little Sim, whom the talk had wakened in his cot near the bed. He had heard what his father had said to his mother, and now, slipping out of bed, toddled forward. "I know where 'tis, daddy," he said. "'Tis down there." He pointed a chubby finger at the brick hearth of the fireplace.

Before he could say more his mother was upon him. She caught him up, shook him and boxed his ears. But they had all seen where the little fellow had pointed and now noticed that one of the bricks was loose. They pried it up, and there in the cavity beneath it lay the gold in Joe's handkerchief. Nor was that all which the cache contained. Below the gold lay a watch and chain, a purse with silver money, two silver spoons and a little case containing gold-bowed spectacles. Former travellers stopping at the tavern as well as Jock and Joe apparently had suffered losses.

The woman was quick with an excuse, a lame one. "I only took it to keep the river drivers from getting it away from them," she said. "I was going to give it back to them after breakfast."

The agent and the sheriff laughed. "Madam, you ought to answer to law for this," the sheriff said to her. "If you two boys," he added, "will go back to Skowhegan and appear against this woman, I will take her in custody."

But Jock and Joe wished to hasten home and, now that they had recovered their money, were not so desirous as they should have been perhaps of having their queer hostess punished. Besides, the land agent declared that he was in far too great a hurry to stop.

As for the tavern keeper, he said very little; he looked sad as well as ashamed of what had occurred at his house. It may be that his wife was what psychologists call a kleptomaniac. That view of the matter seems to be the most charitable.

The boys went on from the tavern afoot and reached home two days later with their twenty-eight gold eagles —but with no salmon.

GATHERING AND CURING VEGETABLE SEED

It is a well-known fact that there is frequently real advantage secured from the use of home-grown seed. People have imported seed from prize-winners in Europe and have had but fair results the first year, but very much better results the following season from seed they themselves had gathered. The prairies require vegetables of early maturing habit and the surest way of securing these is to save seed from the plants of good type which are first to mature seed. Repeat in future years and increase the advantage.

There is likely to be trouble if seed is saved from a garden in which there is more than one variety grown. This is due to most of our vegetables being cross-pollinated by wind or insects. Although there are exceptions, such as peas, beans, and, to a less extent, tomatoes, it is a good plan to grow but one variety where seed is to be gathered. Such vegetables as squash, melons, carrots, beets and corn mix very readily and resulting cross-breds may be greatly changed and of but small use.

Among the vegetable seeds easily saved in the prairie home garden are peas, string beans, snap beans, broad beans, lettuce, radish, turnip, parsnip, onion, spinach, asparagus, cucumber, squash, marrows, melons, tomatoes, peppers and corn.

It is desirable that seed be allowed to mature fully on the plant before harvesting. With peas and lettuce, where seed is quickly lost after ripening, it is well to gather it in early morning before the effect of dews is altogether lost. The seed is allowed to harden in a dry room with moderate temperature and should be placed thinly in trays or flats. Beans may be pulled and hung up by the roots in small bunches and the seed removed when completely dry. Corn does well when the stem end of the husked ear is pushed onto a nail in a dry room. Seed from tomatoes, melons and squash may be removed as soon as fruit is mellow, then washed, dried gradually, and stored in a dry place.

In many instances the prairie gardener may gain considerably by using seed of his own raising, and will incidentally contribute to the permanent improvement of our garden crops.

ROD AND GUN FOR OCTOBER

One of the treats in store for the sportsmen in Rod and Gun in Canada in the October issue is a story by H. C. Duffus on "Bear Hunting up Bute Inlet, B.C." which is written in a particularly readable manner. Bonnycastle Dale has a good article on the "Virginian Deer of Nova Scotia," while an interesting account of a ten days' trip in a canoe is contributed by A. David Fraser. E. F. Ward has a story of a fishing trip in the Rockies while F. V. Williams and Martin Hunter have two good stories in this issue. Guns and Ammunition is particularly well filled with articles by men such as A. A. Holland, T. D. Francis, and R. Leckie-Ewing, all well known to Rod and Gun readers. Robert Page Lincoln, J. W. Winson, and F. H. Walker have good departments, while "Along the Trapline," edited by M. U. Bates, opens again in the October issue. Particular attention has been paid to the several important trap shoots of the Dominion, and accounts of the B. C. R. A., the Bisley Team in England, a write-up of which is given by Major Crowe, the Maritime Trap shoot, and the O. R. A. are all contained in the October issue.

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A TYRANNICAL LAW

Red Deer, Alberta, September 24.

To the Editor of The News.

Dear Sir,—

Let us consider for a moment this tyrannical prohibition law under which we are living at the present —this preacher made law.

In the August 3, 1923, issue of The Calgary Daily Herald is a news item under the headline "Another $1,000 Fine Under the Liquor Act." A secret service official testified that he had bought a bottle of liquor off the accused. The accused said he was at home in bed at the time and therefore the charge must be false. There were just two witnesses, the officer and the accused. The accused was convicted and fined $1,000.

Is that a just law? Is it a reasonable law? Is it a British law? Are we drifting away from the old tradition that "A man shall be considered innocent until he is proven guilty," and that we must "give the prisoner the benefit of the doubt?" Where are we going; where is this church rule leading us? Look at the signs; A woman hung the other day in Alberta, the first one in the province. Perhaps, Mr. Editor, you will defend that action—many good people do—and yet it was a new thing for Alberta, but not the first time a woman had been convicted of murder. You can defend that murder and not violate any British tradition, but it would be, I think, a violation of our traditions to defend our elected representatives for cheering when it was announced that a man and a woman would be hung shortly

Is it a safe law? Are you or I safe when the evidence of one man can convict us of crime? In this case in Calgary the name of the accused was published in the news item, but the name of his accuser—the name of the man whose evidence convicted him and imposed a $1,000 fine—was not given. Nobody knows who that man is. Is that fair play? I mean those secret service men: Can we always depend on their honesty? Remember they are human; perhaps they are all "converted" and stand high in the church, but all men have erred.

I read in The Calgary Herald of July, 1923, of a case in Edmonton where a woman named Dora Safruk was convicted for keeping liquor for sale. The evidence upon which the conviction was made was given by two detectives of the city police force; the defence was that the liquor had been "planted." The appeal court quashed the conviction on the ground that it had been established to its satisfaction that the conviction was made by the magistrate on evidence which was perjured.

Magistrate Cohen, of Toronto, has this to say of prohibition: "I have my duty to do, but I hope the time will come when a man will be able to get a bottle of liquor without going to a doctor for a prescription; it would do away with bootleggers, liars and perjurers."

In another liquor case in Toronto the magistrate declared the informant, a stool pigeon, to be "a contemptible degenerate," and said "a more snake-like piece of evidence has never been offered in the police courts of Canada."

They used to burn witches on the evidence of one witness, and this was used sometimes to satisfy private grudges. These persecutions for witchcraft owed their incentive to the zeal of the guardians of the church; so do the persecutions under the Alberta Liquor Act owe their incentive to the guardians of the church, and no one is safe whether he be guilty or not if he can be convicted on one man's evidence. He is not safe. We are living under tyranny, and the question is, how many of us will choose to have this law "continue and develop." It is a curious matter.

I suppose in the times they were killing men and women (mostly women)for witchcraft, they had a witchcraft law commissioner to enforce the law just as we have a liquor act commissioner to enforce the liquor act, and I suppose then, as now, this commissioner was a preacher with a comfortable salary, and I suppose he reported at intervals that witchcraft was decreasing, and that the conviction and execution imposed and carried out were having a refining and elevating influence, and that people were getting better, but would need him and his stool pigeons and detectives and agents and office staff, or their morals would be ruined, and I suppose the government of the day had to squeeze more taxes out of the people to carry on and "develop" the splendid work led by the guardians of the church. And something happened then as it is happening now. The public conscience turned to saner views. There was a growing moral aversion to such cruel practices and a waning of superstitious belief that put an end to the persecution and recognized the delusions on which it rested. The people, not the guardians of the church, turned to saner views and put an end to the persecutions, and today it is the people and not the guardians of the church that are determined to have saner laws. It is all bosh to say that the "liquor interests" are trying to overthrow this cruel law; it is the good, common sense men and women who are free from fanaticism, who believe in liberty for all instead of a privileged few; those who have noticed and remember the wickedness and crime, sorrow and death, that prohibition is directly or indirectly responsible for.

AMOS WILTON.

PROHIBITION IN THE STATES

To the Editor of The News.

Dear Sir,—

We can expect that the coming vote on the prohibition question in Alberta in November next will cause statements to be made as to the merits or otherwise of prohibition in the United States, and that the people of Alberta may know how to judge such statements, the report made by Sir Auckland Geddes, British ambassador at Washington, and issued by the British foreign office, should be of service, as it appeared in The News a few weeks ago. It states: Reduction in quantity of liquor consumed, as compared with amount before prohibition, 80 percent.; arrests for drunkenness, 50 percent.; deaths from alcoholism, 80 percent.; increase in savings deposits, 40 percent.; that the wage-earner has more money to spend on his home and family, and that factory production has increased. There is no doubt that prohibition has been effective in the rural districts on the seaboard and along the great lakes. I might add, the part Canada has played to this end has not been to her credit, and Canadians in the United States have to hear it stated that to this extent Canada is not a good neighbor, and it is not pleasant to hear.

There is no doubt but that the United States is receiving a decided uplift because of prohibition.

The great argument used against prohibition is that, it is not effective; it does not actually prohibit the sale and use of intoxicating liquor. But it ought to be remembered that, this same argument would do away with every law we have against wrong, for wrong exists in spite of all the laws prohibiting it. The fact is that, the laws serve to check evil, most wholesomely, and to supply a punishment for the practice of it; and so, they are salutary. The same may be said of any enactment prohibiting the use of intoxicating liquor.

READER.

Santa Ana, California.

Anti-church-unionists from all parts of the country met in Toronto and decided that the prevailing feeling was against union everywhere. A fund was proposed to aid ministers who had been forced from their pulpits as a result of their anti-union views.

THE CURSE OF SELF-PITY

Self-pity, concentrating upon one's troubles and wrongs, is fatal to success and personal development. Indulgence in it has brought many men and women to insanity and self-destruction. Some people concentrate so much on themselves that they ultimately become obsessed with the belief that they are injured creatures, and that the world is in some way responsible for all their mishaps and troubles. Their mental attitude makes them easy victims of despondency and discouragement.

If you want to be happy, to grow mentally, to succeed in your work, you must get rid of self-pity. And the only way to get rid of it, by suffering friend, is to quit thinking about yourself and begin to think about others. Stop coddling yourself; quit self-analysis, and get down to work.

The cure for all forms of unhappiness and discouragement is downright hard work. Cultivate an enthusiasm for your work, a love for it; make it an art. Instead of merely working like an artisan, be an artist. Do not take hold of your work with the tips of your fingers. Grip it with all the conquering resolution and winning determination you can muster. Resolve to be king in your line—a specialist of the first order. Put your pride, your heart, your life, into your work, and you will have no time for concentrating on yourself. You will find also a growing joy and attraction in the work which liberates you.

BE AN EDITOR

Some of Will Carleton's happy days must have been spent on a country weekly. That he knows many of the trials and tribulations and some of the joys of being a community editor is to be seen by these lines:

"The editor sat in his sanctum and
looked the old man in the eye,
Then glanced at the grinning young
hopeful, and mournfully made his
reply:
'Is your son a small unbound edition
of Moses and Solomon both?
Can he compass his spirit with meekness, and strangle a natural oath?
Can he leave all his wrongs to the
future, and carry his heart in his
cheek?
Can he do an hour's work in a minute and live on sixpence a week?
Can he courteously talk to an equal
and browbeat an impudent dunce?
Can he keep things in apple-pie order
and do half a dozen things at once?
Can he press all the springs of knowledge with quick and reliable touch,
And be sure that he knows how much
to know, and knows how to know
too much?
Does he know how to spur up his virtue, and put a check-rein on his
pride?
Can he carry a gentleman's manners
within a rhinoceros' hide?
Can he know all, and do all, and be all
with cheerfulness, courage, and
vim?
If so, we perhaps can be makin' an
editor outen of him.'"

A FAITHFUL DOG

It is related by Professor Bell, that when a friend of his was travelling abroad, he one morning took out his watch to see if it contained change for a day's jaunt he intended making. He departed from his lodgings, leaving a trusted dog behind. When he dined, he took out his purse to pay, and found he had lost a gold coin from it. On returning home in the evening, his servant informed him that the dog seemed to be very ill, as they could not induce him to eat anything. He went at once to his favorite, and, as soon as he entered the room, the faithful creature ran to him, deposited the gold coin at his feet, and then, with great eagerness, devoured the food placed for him. The truth was that the gentleman had dropped the coin in the morning. The dog had picked it up and kept it in his mouth, fearing even to eat lest he should lose his master's property before an opportunity was afforded him to restore it.

LATEST NEWS

The League of Nations will take no action on the plea advanced by the Six Nations Indians, it was announced by Lieut.-Col. Andrew T. Thompson, at Brantford, Ont., when he commenced his investigations into conditions of living on the Six Nations Reserve.

A. Keers, real estate agent of Toronto entered a suit for $50,000 against the First Church of Christ, Scientist, for injury to his reputation when they expelled him from membership after a church trial.

Hugo Stinnes, German industrialist, is in Moscow seeking to obtain agriculture concessions from the Soviet governments.

The lieutenant-governor of Ontario, and his party, who are in Northern Ontario, have been forced to travel by dog-sled owing to severe weather conditions.

H. Gramm, a Seattle mining man, stated that he saw fish hanging on trees after swollen rivers had receded at the foot of Salmon Glacier, British Columbia.

E. Emard, the driver of the automobile wrecked in Ottawa, was arrested for manslaughter by the Ottawa police.

The Saskatchewan Moderation league has obtained 80,000 signatures to the petition asking for a referendum on the liquor question.

The amusement tax in Saskatoon netted the city's coffers $30,000 in its first year in operation.

Unemployed registered in Great Britain numbered 1,122,000 last week, this being 12,000 fewer than were registered on the week previous.

The 125,000 mine workers in the Pennsylvania anthracite district resumed their work, well pleased with their work scale which includes a ten percent. increase in wages.

The American Red Cross for Japanese relief reached a total of $8,893,000.

Forest fires wiped out the town of Trinity, Santa Rosa, Calif., and a strip of territory from two to five miles wide.

The thirty English gentlemen adventurers who arrived in Los Angeles on August 25, on a trail blazing voyage for the proposed British airplane trip around the world, have had their yacht confiscated for violation of the liquor laws, and being "broke" are said to be facing the possibility of becoming longshoremen.

The government at Athens discharged the measures for apology prescribed by the allies for the Janina murders, and the incident that threatened the peace of the Balkans is regarded as closed.

SEVEN SENTENCE SERMONS

What would your property be worth without the church?

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Two goods make a better; two wrongs make a worse.

The drinking man is the last man hired and the first man fired.

Are you for the church or against it.

Your soul needs food as well as your body.

I have a body, but I am a soul.

"What's at the' op'ry house tonight, squire?"

"Th' billboards say it's one o' them Broadway shows," replied Squire Witherbee, "that came direct from New York to Chiggersville. I know that ain't so."

"It may be true."

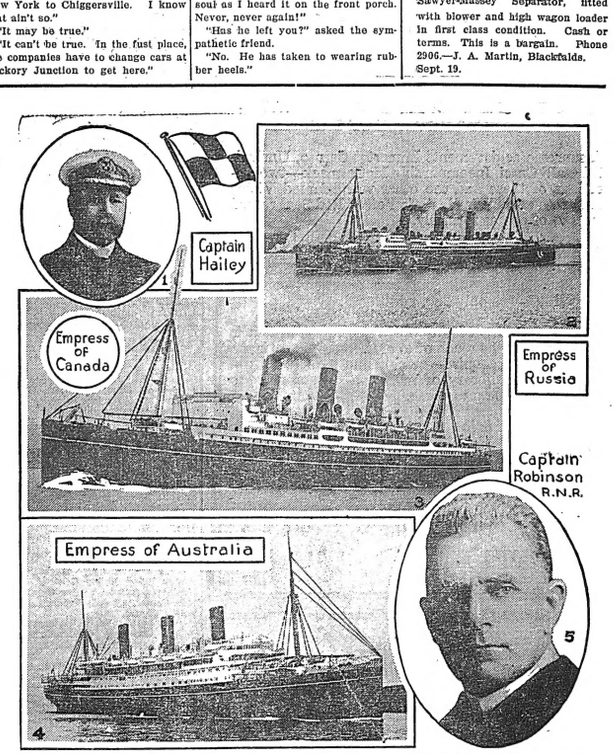
"It can't be true. In the fust place, the companies have to change cars at Hickory Junction to get here."

"Ah," she sighed, "I shall never hear his footsteps again; the step I have listened for with eager ears as he came through the garden gate, the step that has so often thrilled my soul as I heard it on the front porch. Never, never again!"

"Has he left you?" asked the sympathetic friend.

"No. He has taken to wearing rubber heels."

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(1) Captain A. J. Hailey, R.N.R., commander of the "Empress of Canada," was born at Bradford in 1874. In 1900 he joined the Canadian Pacific and in 1910 received his first command. During the war he commanded hospital ships, notable the "Empress of India" and the "Manitoba." His appointment to the "Canada" dates back to the launching of the liner. His last accomplishment was the capturing of the Blue Ribbon of the Pacific for the fastest journey across.

(2) The "Empress of Russia" was built by the Fairfield Shipbuilding and Engineering Co., Ltd., of Glasgow, has quadruple screws and driven by steam turbines, which develop a speed of 20 knots per hour. She is a product of English best engineering and has the utmost in accommodation and luxury.

(3) The "Empress of Canada," 21,500 ton liner, was the second liner to give aid and shelter to destitutes of the Oriental turmoil. In addition to carrying about 800 passengers, she took 1,500 more on board where they received clothes and medical attention. She recently came to the limelight when she captured the Blue Ribbon of the Pacific, making the voyage from Yokohama and Vancouver in 8 days, 10 hours and 55 minutes. Her next winter program includes an elaborate cruise of the world, where she will take a limited number of globe trotters to no less than 18 foreign ports with many inland excursions included in the itinerary.

(4) The "Empress of Australia," often called the pride of the Pacific on account of her luxurious and comfortable reservations, rides with a length of 588 feet and is an oil-burning vessel of a registered tonnage of 22,000 tons.

(5) Captain Robinson, R.N.R., of the "Empress of Australia," whose heroic feats on the scene of the Oriental disaster, has prompted the Spanish ambassador at Tokyo to cable the King, recommending the bestowal of a decoration. Captain Robinson is one of the most popular skippers on the Pacific and has served on Canadian Pacific ships since 1895.

GRAPHIC tales of the Oriental disaster are daily being received on this continent. Many of them contain harrowing experiences of surviving inhabitants of Tokyo, Yokohama and mountain resorts nearby, and make true the age-old adage, "Great disasters have produced great men."

Canada's participation in rescue work in the Far East was the first foreign aid to reach that stricken country and to-day the world has learned of unaccountable feats of bravery, deeds of generosity and self-sacrifice on the parts of several Canadians, who at the time of the turmoil were engaged in missionary or mercantile fields.

To Captain Robinson of the "Empress of Australia," and Captain Kent, river pilot, the country stands indebted for the rescue and care of 4,000 lives. The report goes on to state that the "Australia" was making ready to sail for Vancouver, when the city of Yokohama was seen crumbling and smothered under the tidal wave. The sea became so agitated that other ships broke loose and rammed the "Australia" injuring her propellers. In spite of such handicaps, Captain Robinson sailed his big liner to safety, where later it became the home of over 4,000 destitute survivors.

The "Empress of Canada," which happened to be one day out from Yokohama when the first despatches were flashed across the broad Pacific, wasted no time in rushing to the scene of destruction. The day was employed in providing accommodation, foodstuffs and clothes to those refugees whose need was most urgent. No less than 1,500 refugees found shelter on the "Empress of Australia" and were conveyed to Shanghai where medical attention and care are being provided by the authorities.

With every available inch of her cargo space crammed with foodstuffs for the earthquake stricken thousands of Japan, the "Empress of Russia" sailed from Vancouver on September 6th. Owing to her superior speed, the "Empress of Russia," included in a fleet of three relief ships now under way, is expected to be the first to reach Japan on September 17th.

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1. The Contest opens Monday, August 27th, and closes at midnight on Monday, December 24th, 1923.

2. Each contestant must be nominated on the blank below and only nominations of individuals will be accepted.

3. On acceptance of any nomination the person nominated will be notified and will be credited with 5,000 free votes.

4. Each contestant on the nomination being accepted will be given a number and the votes may thereafter be deposited to his or her credit by name or number.

5. All votes must be deposited in the ballot box for that purpose in the store of the McLarty Hardware Co., or may be mailed in with instructions to deposit them for any candidate.

6. Votes must be placed in an envelope or package with the name or number of the contestant to whom they are to be credited plainly written thereon.

7. Votes will be counted at frequent intervals and the results announced in The News.

8. Votes must be deposited within one week of the Saturday of the week in which they are issued. They will be of different color or design each week.

9. For each cent paid to the McLarty Hardware Company the payer will receive one vote. This applies both to outstanding accounts and to purchases of goods made during this contest.

10. Additional votes may be given from time to time, at special sales, on special articles, or as the management sees fit, but all contestants will be notified in advance of such opportunities.

11. For each year's subscription to The Red Deer News, whether on arrears or in advance, the subscriber will receive a credit slip entitling him or her to 500 votes on its presentation at the McLarty Hardware Company store.

12 After votes have been deposited and registered for one contestant they may not be transferred to any other contestant.

13. No person employed by or connected with The News Publishing Co. or the McLarty Hardware Co. will be allowed to compete, or to receive votes for purchases or subscriptions.

14. The Contest will be under the sole direction and control of the McLarty Hardware Co., who will total all votes on adding machines.

15. The person who has the greatest number of votes at his or her credit at Midnight on December 27th will be given a fine $550.00 Willis Art Piano, similar to the cut above.

16. The management reserve the right to donate further prizes at any time as they see fit, or to add to the rules governing the contest.

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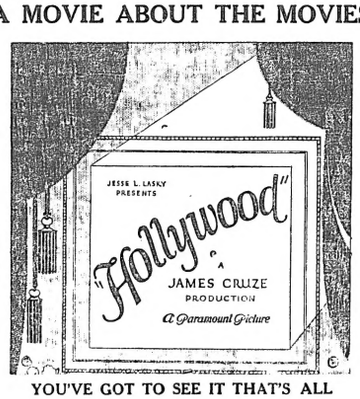
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RED DEER DISTRICT SCHOOL FAIR

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son, Ellen Neilson, Crossroads; Lillian Wilson, Gertrude Scott, Winnie Stickland, Ridgewood.

Class 76, Poster—Basil Cheveau, Walter Sandquist, Hillsdown; Ellen Neilson, Crossroads; Ray Havens, Poplar Ridge; Kenneth Blair, Clearview.

Class 77, Box—Stewart Melrose, Lorne Latam, Crossroads; Wesley Pearson, Christie Reay, Gertrude Stewart, Valley Centre.

Class 78, Booklet—Laura Streatch, Sylvia Kirk, Waskasoo; Enid Kaiser, Valley Centre; Helen Veal, Poplar Ridge; William Ellenwood, Waskasoo.

Class 79, Landscape—Grades VII and VIII—Alice Pengelly, Springvale; Alberta Heaman, Florence Cheveau, Hillsdown; Blanche Vickers, Crossroads; Edith McKenzie, Hillsdown.

Class 80, Spacing wall—Edwin Stickland, Dorothy Stickland, Robt. Moore, Ridgewood; Tom Corrigan, Robt. Corrigan, Valley Centre.

Class 81, Poster—Edith McKenzie, Fernley Vincent, Hillsdown; Edwin Stickland, Ridgewood; Alberta Heaman, Hillsdown; Blanche Vickers, Crossroads.

Class 82, drawing table or chair—Dorothy Stickland, Ridgewood; Tom Corrigan, Valley Centre; Alberta Heaman, Hillsdown; Edwin Stickland Ridgewood; Ethel Pye, Horn Hill.

Class 83—No prizes awarded as requirements not complied with.

Class 84, Booklet—Mary Staples, Willowdale; Fred Botsford, Waskasoo; Tom Corrigan, Valley Centre; Blanche Vickers, Jean Blakely, Crossroads.

High School

Class 85, poster—Dorothy Collier, Edwell; Esther Bolze, Valley Centre; May Comer, Edwell; Frances Clarke, Valley Centre; Margaret Code, Springvale.

Class 86, landscape—Dorothy Collier, May Comer, Edwell; Esther Bolze, Valley Centre.

Class 87, drawing of building—Esther Bolze, Valley Centre; Chas. McKenzie, Hilldown; Dorothy Collier, May Comer, Edwell; Frances Clark, Valley Centre.

Class 88, booklet, agricultural—May Comer, Dorothy Collier, Edwell; Esther Bolze, Frances Clark, Valley Centre.

Class 89, design—Dorothy Collier, May Comer, Edwell; Esther Bolze, Valley Centre.

Class 90, design—Dorothy Collier, Edwell; Chas. McKenzie, Hillsdown; May Comer, Edwell; Margaret Code, Lovella Piper, Springvale.

Penmanship

Class 91, Grades I. and II.—Phyllis Opie, Waskasoo; Johnnie McCann, Balmoral; Geo. Milne, Crossroads; Geo. Kirton, Edwell; Muriel Corrigan, Valley Centre; Ben James, Balmoral; Fred Neilson, Crossroads; Lucille McDougall, Waskasoo; Norman Cheveau, Hillsdown.

Class 92, Grades III. IV. and V.—Helen Kitching, Clearview; Ida Henderson, Springvale; Doris Comfort, Clearview; Evelyn Pengelly, Springvale; Sadie Staples, Connie Cousins, Willowdale; Mervin Brett, Springvale; Ellen Wilson, Ridgewood; Ray Havens, Poplar Ridge.

Class 93, open—Edith McKenzie, Hillsdown; Dorothy Beckley, Springvale; Alberta Heaman, Hillsdown; Alice Pengelly, Springvale; Ethel Pye, Horn Hill; Blanche Vickers, Crossroads; Mabel Pye, Pearl Pye, Horn Hill; Dorothy Collier, Edwell.

Class 94, business letter—Alberta Heaman, Hillsdown; May Comer, Edwell; Ethel Pye, Mabel Pye, Horn Hill; Lavina Hart, Poplar Ridge.

Map Drawing

Class 95, map of Alberta by Grades V. and VI.—Walter Sandquist, Basil Cheveau, Hillsdown; Edith Robson, Crossroads; Dorothy Beckley, Springvale; Ray Havens, Helen Veal, Poplar Ridge; Ellen Nielson, Crossroads; Sheldon Comfort, Clearview; Bessie Hamilton, Willowdale.

Class 96, map of Canada by Grades VII. and VIII.—Tom Corrigan, Valley Centre; Alice Pengelly, Springvale; Robt. Corrigan, Valley Centre; Robt. Heaman, Hillsdown; Blanche Vickers, Crossroads; Alberta Heaman, Hillsdown; Jack Botsford, Waskasoo; Dorothy Strickland, Ridgewood; Walter Antrim, Valley Centre.

SPORTS

Girls' Events

Under 12 years, 75 yards—Lillian McConnell, Phyllis Wright, Gertrude Stewart.

Over 12, 100 yards—Esther Staples, Ethel Pye, Lillian McConnell.

Potato race, under 12 years—Lillian McConnell, Reta Goodacre, George Blair.

Potato race over 12 years—Esther Staples, Dorothy Goodacre, Lillian McConnell.

3-legged race, under 12—May Vincent and Hattie Whittemore, Phyllis Wright and Joyce Blair, Alberta Streatch and Phyllis Opie.

3-legged race, over 12 years—Lillian McConnell and Alice Marston, Helen Neilson and Esther Staples, Gertrude Stuart and Evelyn Kind.

Partner race—Bob Marston and Lillian McConnell, Hattie Whittemore and Basil Cheveau, Helen Neilson and Melvin Latam.

Partner race, over 12—Esther Staples and Robt. Heaman, Marjory Mott and Alfred James, Ethel Pye and Henry Bjorkeland.

Boys' Events

100 yards dash—Henry Sanderquist, Herbert Cody, Kenneth Blair.

3-legged race, under 12 years—Sheldon Comfort and Melvin Brett, Roger Neilson and Melvin Latam, Alan Opie and Larrie Streatch.

3-legged race, over 12—Bennie Comfort and Kenneth Blair, Norman Wrey and Herbert Cody, Jack Pye and Evan McDougall.

Wheelbarrow race, under 12—Roger Neilson and Melvin Latam, Hi Houghton and Sheldon Comfort, Willie Whittemore and Geo. Christian.

Wheelbarrow race, over 12—Basil Cheveau and Henry Sanderquist, Benny Comfort and Kenneth Blair, Norman Wrey and Herbert Cody.

Jockey race, under 12—Norman and Basil Cheveau, Tom and Jack Corrigan, Mervin Brett and Harold De Bow.

Jockey race, over 12—N. Park and Evan McDougall, Alfred James and R. Dann, Kenneth Blair and Benny Comfort.

Broad jump, under 12—H. Cody, Walter Sanderquist and Basil Cheveau.

Broad jump, open—Alfred James, H. Cody, Henry Bjorkeland.

Hop, step and jump, under 12—H. Cody, S. Comfort.

Hop, step and jump, open—Alfred James, G. Kendrew, B. Comfort.

In the relay race, Balmoral won with Willowdale second.

Officers and players of the Baseball Club enpoyed a splendid evening on Wednesday of last week, when they were tendered a banquet by B. Dennett. After a bounteous repast at 7.30, songs and music and baseball yarns filled in the remainder of the evening.

78th BATTERY HALLOWE'EN BALL

The Annual Ball will be held on Hallowe'en, October 31st, in the Armouries. The committee in charge are determined to make this popular event more popular and attractive than ever. Novel features will be introduced to add to the gaiety of the occasion.

IN MEMORIAM

Sleath—Died at Red Deer, September 21st, 1908, Clara Annie, the beloved wife of John Sleath.
In fond remembrance.
"For the living know that they shall die; but the dead know not anything, in that very day his thoughts perish." Eccl 9:5. Psa: 146:4.

Sleath—In loving memory of our dear mother, who died September 21st, 1908. Interred at Red Deer, Canada.
"Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil." Psa:23:4.—Maud and Dorothy.

In loving memory of our dear and only son and brother, Pte. Alexander Dickie Black, killed in action, Sept. 23rd, 1917, aged 19 years.
Oft in my solitude I sit and think, dear son, of thee,
And dream of how things might have been had you been spared to me.
Oft in dreams I see your face, your loving voice, I hear,
Whispering, mother, do not fret, for I am ever near.
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PICTURE SHOWS HOLLYWOOD AS IT IS

Showing Hollywood, Cal., the capital of filmdom, as it really is, not as it is sometimes painted, is one of the features of the James Cruze Paramount picture, "Hollywood," which has been booked by Manager Brewerton for the Rex Theatre for Thursday next. Frank Condon, who wrote the short story from which the picture was adapted, lives in and knows Hollywood intimately. James Cruze, the director, lives in and is familiar with every phase of the community and studio life. The only strangers are some of the unknown players, who interpret the roles of the folks from Centerville, Ind., and who are quite like the characters they depict.

- Want Ads. -

MAN WANTED AT ONCE TO DRIVE team on threshing outfit. Apply T. W. Mayberry, or Phone 408, Red Deer. Sept. 26, 1w.

FOR SALE OR TO LET—A FIVE-roomed cottage in good shape; nice garden, barn and chicken house. 216, Bank St. Apply at Munro & Baines' tailor shop, 1st Street South. Sept. 12, tf.

PLUMS FOR SALE—"GREENGAGE," Bradshaw "Columbia," and Prunes, $1.00 per crate f.o.b. Revelstoke, B. C.—H. Colbeck, Revelstoke. Sept. 10, 3w*

GOOD SIX-ROOMED HOUSE AND Barn on three lots, in North Red Deer, for sale. $500.00 cash; balance on easy terms. Apply John Wood, P.O. Box 125, or phone 263. Sept. 5, tf.

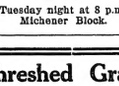
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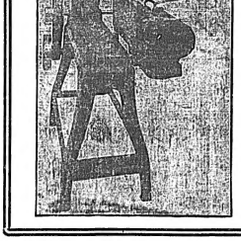
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The Red Deer office will be in Mr. Welliver's present office. Phone 109. They will be buying in car-load lots mainly.

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